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LINES ARE DRAWN FOR A WORDY WAR

Diplomatic Struggle in Prospect over Administration of Canal

ENGLAND VS UNITED STATES

Great Britain Objects to Free Tolls for American Ships and Claims Treaty Forbids It—Measure Will Likely Pass

Washington, July 11.—The lines were drawn tonight for a great diplomatic struggle between the United States and Great Britain over the question of whether this country may discriminate in favor of American vessels in the administration of the Panama canal. The wordy war may terminate in the submission of the question to the Hague tribunal.

A series of diplomatic and legislative conference today developed the fact that the forces in the American government which favor allowing American ships free passage through the canal are in control. These forces take the position that there is nothing in the Hay-Pauncefote treaty under which the canal was built, to prevent this concession.

The diplomatic struggle, precipitated by the note received today from Mitchell Innes, Charge de Affairs of the British embassy, it is expected, will be fought along the following lines:

Great Britain will take the position that the Hay-Pauncefote treaty provisions which forbids discrimination in favor of the intrests of any nation, in the conduct of the canal, would operate against the provisions of the Panama bill now under consideration in the Senate. This position will be supported by a lengthy argument now on its way from London by mail which will be presented to the State Department and transmitted to Congress immediately upon its arrival.

The United States will hold that so long as the ships of all foreign nations are accorded the same treatment in the use of the canal, the United States may pass American ships, free or rebate the tolls charged them. This potion was taken by the House, when it reversed the report of the House Inter-State and Foreign Commerce Committee, which would have prevented free passage to American ships, and passed the present bill.

The ultimate passage of the measure now before the Senate seems assured. The men behind the bill in the Senate said today that the British note would not prevent consideration of the measure whenever it could be reached in the ordinary course of business. But the position of Great Britain will strengthen the opposition to the free provision.

After a conference with President Taft, Representative Sulzer, of New York, chairman of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, made a statement supporting the bill. He said:

"Of course I am surprised that the British government now objects to the United States government regulating the tolls of its own ships through the Panama canal. However, nothing serious will come of the objection. The treaty is plain and clear to all. The British government should not and cannot complain if no toll discrimination is made against British ships in favor of the ships of other nations.

"That is the real meaning of the treaty and we shall carry out its provisions in good faith. We have the right under the treaty to charge or not to charge tolls for our own ships. Doubtless Congress will proceed with the Panama canal legislation regardless of the criticisms of our friends across the water. Besides, second thought will put them right and show conclusively their position is untenable."

It was generally understood that this position is supported by President Taft and Secretary of War Stimson, in direct charge of the Panama administration.

While the British note caused some comment on the unusual incident of a foreign nation interfering with legislation in a formative stage, it was pointed out that this was the only course by which Great Britain could oppose the measure. Just as soon as the bill becomes a law, under Supreme Court decisions, it supercedes all treaties bearing on the same subject matter, and would this leave Great Britain no ground for objection after it had been written on the statute books.

The State Department probably will not undertake to reply to the British argument in its own behalf, but will regard itself as subject to the action of Congress on the bill, and will allow Congress to dictate any reply to the British protest.

Should the bill become a law over the protest of Great Britain it is scarcely expected that the matter will end as British and particularly Canadian interests would undoubtedly force further diplomatic action by London, and when these means were exhausted the Hague tribunal would be the court of last resort.

Although the text was withheld, it was said at the State Department the British government felt that to allow American vessels to pass through the Panama canal without the payment of tolls, or to refund tolls collected, would be to violate the Hay-Pauncefote treaty.

As to the coastwise traffic, the British government felt it would be difficult to frame a provision that would not be unjust to its interests.

It was requested that Congress hold the pending bill until the embassy had an opportunity to transmit to the State Department supplementary statement from the British government now on the way from London by mail.

LORIMER DEFENDS HIS TITLE AGAIN

Illinois Senator Makes Severe Attact on Political Enemies.

CALLS ROOSEVELT A BRIBER

Introduces Affidavits by Delegates to Chicago Convention That They Were Offered Bribes—Vote Today

Washington, July 11.—For the second time in 18 months William Lorimer took the floor in the Senate today to defend his title to a seat in that body as the junior Senator from Illinois. For three hours he inveighed against his newspaper and political enemies, dissected the influences that had been exerted against him and dealt with the attitude of President Taft and Colonel Roosevelt toward him and his associates in Illinois politics.

The Senate did not force him to a conclusion of his speech. His emphatic delivery of the denunciation of his opponents weakened him physically, and at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon the Senate recessed until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning when Mr. Lorimer will resume. It is expected that he will conclude his defensive speech in a few hours tomorrow and that before the end of the session the Senate will take its final vote upon Senator Luke Lea's resolution of expulsion.

Before Mr. Lorimer had spoken an hour, the galleries which were half empty when he began, had filled to overflowing; the Senate floor was well filled with members giving close attention to him, and around the walls of the Senate stood scores of members of the House. From a position at the rear of the chamber in the middle aisle, he delivered his speech with dramatic gesture and in a voice that frequently rose to flights of passion that carried far through the capitol corridors.

Contrasted to the picturesque appeal of February, 1911, when Senator Lorimer gave in detail the circumstances which he claimed had influenced the votes of 53 Democrats for him in the Illinois Legislature, his speech today was an attack rather than a defense. He scarcely touched upon the charges of bribery in the Illinois Legislature while he held the floor.

Chicago newspaper owners and publishers, Governor Deneen, State Attorney Wayman and others who have been active in the prosecution of the Lorimer case in Illinois, were the chief objects of his shafts and he sought to show that back of the prosecution was a conspiracy of newspapers and corporate forces to punish him because he could not be "controlled."

At the close of the afternoon, he furnished a sensation by introducing affidavits made by delegates to the recent Republican convention at Chicago, to the effect that they had been offered money to vote in support of the Roosevelt forces in the convention. The names attached to the affidavits included J. M. Shumpirt, A. Buckley, D. W. Sherrod, R. B. Butts and William Jones, of Georgia, and other Southern delegates.

These affidavits came after Mr. Lorimer had dealt in detail with the letter of President Taft to Colonel Roosevelt made public with the International Harvester Company correspondence during the pre-convention campaign. In this letter President Taft had stated his desire to see Mr. Lorimer ousted from the Senate.

Senator Lorimer declared he did not seek to prove anything in his own case by the affidavits; but that he wanted to "show the hypocrisy running rampant through the country."

Colonel Roosevelt's friends, he declared, would have secured his nomination, if possible, "by the corrupt use of money," while Colonel Roosevelt himself was declaring he "would destroy every political corruptionist."

As to his support of President Taft, Mr. Lorimer said he had supported the principles of constitutional government, for which the President stood. He declared the President would not have received as many votes in Illinois as he did in North Dakota in the primary campaign if "the men with whom I am associated in politics" had not voted for him.

Toronto, Ont., Can., July 11.—Eddie Durnan, of Toronto, nephew of the famous Ned Hanlon, easily defeated William Hayes, of Boston, in a three-mile sculling race on Toronto Bay this afternoon, thereby retaining the professional championship of America, and winning a purse of $1,000 a side. Durnan finished about 20 lengths ahead of the challenger. The time was very slow, being 20:12 2-5.

GOV. WILSON WILL BE REAL MANAGER

Nominee Prepares Campaign Suggestions for National Committee

CONTRIBUTIONS POURING IN

Men High In Councils of Democratic Party Have Another Field Day At Seagirt—Plans for Opening N. Y. Campaign

Seagirt, N. J., July 11.—For the first time since the Baltimore convention adjourned Governor Wilson closed his office tonight to all visitors, took off his coat, settled down in his easy chair with a pad and pencil and committed to paper his thoughts on the National campaign. He was writing the rough outline of his message to the National Committee which meets in Chicago July 15th. Page after page of shorthand notes—the Governor has written short-hand for 40 years—was torn from the pad and placed on the desk beside him.

In two hours or so he had finished.

All that the party chieftains have poured into his ears in the way of suggestions and advice was brought to bear in preparation of his message. Tomorrow he will go over the draft with Robert S. Hudspeth, the National committeeman from New Jersey, who will be his personal representative at Chicago, and the rough outline will be turned into the finished producet to be placed before the committee. No word of its contents, the Governor said tonight, would be made public in advance of the meeting.

The message will contain the name of the Governor's choice for National chairman, his decision on whether there shall be a campaign chairman to help the National chairman direct the fight, the nominee's views on the sort of campaign he wishes to conduct and probably his selection of the executive committee. Discussion of the platform and issues will be reserved for his speech of acceptance August 7th.

The preparation of the message tonight was the culmination of a field day at Seagirt for men high in the councils of the Democratic party. During the day the Governor entertained dozens of callers of political prominence, including five members of the Democratic National Committee, Maryland leaders of his ante-convention fight and leaders from Brooklyn. Among the visitors were John T. McGraw, National committeeman from West Virginia; L. A. Jones, National committeeman from Maine; David R. Francis, of St. Louis; Thomas J. McCue, National committeeman from Colorado; Edward E. Goltra, National committeeman from Missouri; Harvey Garder, former National committeeman from Ohio; John H. McCooey, of Brooklyn; Representative John J. Fitzgerald, chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the House; Rees M. Ling, National committeeman from Arizona.

Nearly all of these were positive in their declarations that when the National committee elects a chairman next Monday, it will be the man whom Governor Wilson selects, and more than half were inclined to believe that William F. McCombs would have the Governor's preference.

Governor Wilson is going to be the real manager of the campaign. There was no doubt of this in the minds of his callers today. The Governor himself said tonight that he intended, for one thing, to scrutinize closely the campaign contributions and keep tally of the expenditures.

"That, of course," he said, "is nothing more than my duty."

There has been a growing stream of contributions emptying into the Governor's office daily. Nearly a score came today, varying in amounts from $1 to $200 with $25 perhaps a fair average. More than half of them came from men with whose names the Governor was not familiar. It was a wholesome sign, he said, and the right sort of a campaign fund. To each man who sent money, he wrote a personal letter of thanks.

There were nine in the party from Brooklyn which John H. McCooey headed. Mr. McCooey suggested that Governor Wilson open the New York State campaign with a mass meeting early in the Fall at the Academy of Music in Brooklyn. The idea interested the Governor greatly.

Colonel John I. Martin, sergeant-at-arms of the Baltimore convention, dropped in on Governor Wilson for a few minutes bringing with him as present, the gavel with which the convention was opened and closed. It was made, Colonel Martin told the Governor, by Donald Martin, the colonel's son at Hillsboro, Mo. The Governor grasped it firmly and tapped the railing of his porch.

"So that's the gavel that did the business, is it?" he asked.

Colonel Martin assured him that it was and added that the upper Mississippi River Improvement Association composed of men of affairs, of Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Missouri and Illinois felt very kindly toward the ticket this year because of the plank in the platform pledging the party to the improvement of the Mississippi

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SINGLE VOTE FOR COMMERCE JUDGE

House Adopts Impeachment Articles Against Robert W. Archbald

CASE NOW GOES TO SENATE

Some Senators Would Postpone Action, But Matter Will Likely be Disposed of Promptly—Vote Was 272 to One.

Washington, July 11.—The House of Representatives today adopted by a vote of 272 to 1 articles of impeachment against Judge Robert W. Archbald, of the United States Commerce Court. Representative Farr, of Pennsylvania, cast the single vote against the bill of impeachment.

Mr. Farr is a life-long friend who has all along voiced confidence in Judge Archbald's integrity.

Of the total membership of the House in their seats only nine voted "present." These were former Speaker Cannon, Representatives Burgess, of Texas; Dalzell and Olmstead, of Pennsylvania; Dwight, of New York; Johnson, of South Carolina; Farran, of Maryland; Rucker, of Missouri, and Sparkman, of Florida. Only three members had spoken in the judge's defense. They were Representatives Farr, Bowman and Focht, all Republicans, of Pennsylvania.

The scene now shifts to the Senate, which will sit in judgment in the case. While there has been a disposition voiced in the Senate to postpone the trial until the Autumn, Chairman Clayton, of the House Committee on the Judiciary, and one of the prosecuting managers, declared today his conviction that the Senate would take up the impeachment soon.

Senator Clark, of Wyoming, Republican, chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, and Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, the Democratic leader, expressed the view tonight that the Senate would acquiesce with Judge Archbald's wishes as to having an immediate trial on being allowed time to prepare his defense. Among some of the Republican leaders it was suggested that, while the case probably would be formally presented to the Senate next Monday, that body might not do more now than to determine the date of the trial and that the Senate might recess until November, then proceeding with the hearing with a probability of completing the case before the Christmas holidays.

The impeachment grows out of charges that, while occupying a Federal bench, Judge Archbald was connected with negotiations for valuable culm bank properties in Pennsylvania and with other alleged questionable financial transactions and with using his official position to attempt the enrichment of himself and certain friends.

CHANGE OF COURTS.

Revocation and Extra Terms for Bladen and Brunswick.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 11.—An order was made today by Governor Kitchin, by which the regular terms of Superior Court, scheduled for Brunswick county, August 5th, and Bladen county July 29th, are revoked and special terms for Bladen September 6th, and for Brunswick September 23rd, are ordered, Judge Bragaw to preside at each.

OUTLINES

Senator William Lorimer yesterday began his speech defending his title to a seat in the United States Senate, his argument bristling with attacks on his newspaper and political enemies.

The lines were drawn last night for a great diplomatic struggle between the United States and Great Britain over the administration of the Panama canal.

The House yesterday adopted by a vote of 272 to 1 the articles of impeachment preferred against Judge Robert W. Archbald and the case now goes to the Senate for trial.

The National Education Association in session at Chicago yesterday practically concluded all business, Salt Lake City, Utah, being selected as the next meeting place.

Governor Wilson last night denied himself to callers and completed the rough draft of his message to the National Committee, which contains his preference for chairman of the committee and suggestions in regard to the coming campaign.

The American athletes at Stockholm took the lion's share of the contests yesterday and increased their lead over all other nations.

In about two weeks Col. Roosevelt will begin the campaign trips which are to carry him into every State of the Union in an effort to secure Progressive electors. Kansas, Iowa and Michigan being placed first on the list as they will shortly hold primaries.

New York markets: Money on call firm, 3 1-4 to 3 1-2 per cent.; ruling rate 3 1-4. Spot cotton closed quiet. Flour quiet. Wheat spot irregular; No. 2 red 1.13 1-2 to 1.15 1-2 elevator domestic basis to arrive and export 1.15 1-2 f.o.b. afloat to arrive. Corn, spot firm; export 82 3-4 f.o.b. afloat. Turpentine steady. Rosin quiet.

Appears Before Senate Committee

Washington, D. C., July 11.—Former Chairman Geo. B. Cortelyou, of the Republican National Committee, testified today before the Senate Campaign Contributions Committee that $1,900,000 was raised by the committee in 1904 for Theodore Roosevelt's Presidential campaign. Senator Clapp asked if he had ever heard of any contributions from the beef trust, to which Cortelyou replied he had not. He said that the tobacco trust people offered $20,000 or $30,000, but on account of certain matters involving the tobacco cases, the amount was not accepted. Andrew Carnegie contributed $10,000, he said.

EDUCATORS FINISH BUSINESS

National Association Selects Salt Lake City for Next Meeting Place—J. Y. Joyner Honored—Dr. H. W. Wiley Speaks

Chicago, July 11.—With Salt Lake City, Utah, named as the preference for the 1913 convention, the National Education Association practically concluded the business of its 50th annual convention today. The selection of Salt Lake City has yet to be ratified by the executive committee next Autumn.

James Y. Joyner, of Raleigh, N. C., was chosen as a trustee, and George B. Cook, State superintendent of public instruction, Little Rock, Ark., was elected a director.

Two general sessions of the convention tomorrow are to be devoted to educational subjects with adjournment to follow in the evening.

Baroness Bertha Von Souttner, of Vienna, in an address on the movement for international peace, today praised President Taft, saying his work was influencing peace promoters in Europe to speak against the enlargement of armies and navies.

Tonight David Starr Jordan, president of Leland Stanford, Jr., University, and Dr. Harvey W. Wiley were the chief speakers on health in relation to the public schools.

Dr. Wiley spoke in part, as follows: "One great object in education should be the development of a sound intellectual training in connection with a sound physical body. The increasing tendency to insanity, neurasthenia and kindred diseases, is awakening a marked interest among all those who are laboring for the public health. While we see a diminution in certain contagious and infectious diseases, such as yellow fever, smallpox, typhoid fever and tuberculosis, there seems to be an increasing number of so-called nervous diseases, including mental irritability, physical weakness and general inability to perform the duties of life, whether of a mental or a physical character.

"Teachers should have their attention called to some of the prevailing conditions which tend to produce this increase in nervous troubles. It is not my purpose here to speak of the necessity of the ordinary principles of sanitation, pure air, good food, abundant exercise and freedom from over-exertion of the intellectual faculties. Rather I would call attention to some of the factors which are little talked about, much neglected and not generally understood.

"I wish to confine myself specifically to the prevalence of the drug habit among school children. Either through neglect, carelessness or consent of parents and teachers, thousands of school children are becoming addicted to drug habits. There is no nation on earth in which the children take something as often as they do in this country. Beginning almost with birth, there seems to be an incessant craving to fill the baby's stomach with drugs instead of foods. This tendency, established in early life, is not perceptibly diminished during the ages of childhood and early maturity. Every household has its

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TEDDY TALKS OF CONVENTION

Col. Roosevelt Writes Interestingly of Chicago Meeting Which He Claims Robbed Him of Republican Nomination.

New York, July 11.—Theodore Roosevelt further discusses the seating of contested delegations in the Republican National Convention at Chicago in an editorial entitled "Thou Shalt Not Steal," which appears in the current issue of the Outlook. He says in part:

"The American people are entitled to know that the charge of stealing the Chicago convention of 1912 is more than campaign recrimination, and that the frauds complained of are much more serious than the mere repetition of loose practices which might have found unfortunate precedents in some previous conventions of both parties.

"Seriously and literally, President Taft's re-nomination was stolen for him, from the American people, and the ratification or rejection of that nomination raises the critical issue whether votes or fraud shall determine the selections of American Presidents.

"President Taft was re-nominated by a majority of barely 21 votes, and two of these were publicly raped at the last moment from Massachusetts. If, therefore, more than 19 or 21 of his votes were demonstrably fraudulent, all claim to an honest majority disappears. The demonstration can be made as to many more than this number without touching on a single honestly debatable case.

"This reckoning takes no account of the notorious fact that even the undisputed part of Mr. Taft's support was largely artificial and misrepresentative, made up of delegates from the outlying possessions, from hopelessly Democratic States, and from States where the people had been successfully denied the expression of their will. It is sufficient to consider only the four confessedly indefensible cases of California, Arizona, Washington and Texas, which alone wipe out the margin. All that could be added from the other cases would only increase the Roosevelt majority of the honest convention. But I wish it distinctly understood that many of these other cases were as clear as the California case itself.

"Three of these cases were a direct assault on the right of the people to elect their own delegates at primaries, since in them a few score politicians decided that the voters as a whole had no right themselves to decide whom they wished to see nominated. In the California case the delegates to the National Convention were elected by direct vote at State-wide preferential primaries. The National committee first, and then the National Republican Convention, nullified the State law, and therefore, by inference, all State primary laws. In Arizona and Washington the control of the State conventions depended on which of two rival delegations were seated from certain counties; the one set elected by the Republican voters at primaries regularly called, and the other set arbitrarily appointed by bolting minorities of both committees. The State committees, in each case, seated the

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T. R. GOING AFTER ELECTORAL VOTES

The Colonel Will Take First Campaign Trip in About Two Weeks

TOUR EVERY STATE IN UNION

Kansas, Iowa and Michigan, Where Primaries Will Soon Be Held, Are First on List—Clark Leader Joins

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 11.—Within less than a fortnight, Colonel Roosevelt probably will begin the campaign trips which are to carry him into almost every State of the Union before the November election. Although he has not reached a final decision, he expects to leave Oyster Bay week after next. Kansas, Iowa and Michigan are tentatively on the programme. He may also attend the Chicago convention of the new Progressive party.

The purpose of Colonel Roosevelt's trip, if it is made, will be to tour States in which primaries will soon be held to nominate Republican Presidential electors.

"I've been asked to go to the three States to take part in the primaries campaign," he said tonight. "I have not definitely made up my mind. Both the Roosevelt and Taft forces are going to make a fight at the primaries, and each of them has announced in advance that it will not abide by the result in case it is beaten. The fight will be to see which side will have to name its candidates for Presidential electors by petition instead of having them on the Republican ticket.

"The primaries in these States will be held before long, and if I make the trip, I shall leave in 10 or 12 days."

Colonel Roosevelt today indicated that during the campaign he expects to speak to more persons than almost any other candidate in the history of the country. He says he will campaign in the South as vigorously as in the North. It is largely through this personal appeal that Colonel Roosevelt hopes to carry the day.

"This is a crusaders' fight," he said today. "I have told men who offered to go with us that they should not do so unless the fire was burned into their souls."

The former President said today that Frank Pettigrew, former United States Senator from South Dakota and a Democrat, had come out for him.

Ex-Senator Pettigrew came to Oyster Bay today to enlist under the Roosevelt battle flag. Mr. Pettigrew was a prominent figure at the Baltimore convention and was deserted at the time as one of the leaders of Champ Clark officers.

Mr. Pettigrew said he profoundly disapproved of Woodrow Wilson's nomination, said Colonel Roosevelt, "and that he believed half the Democrats of South Dakota would vote for me." He said he regarded Governor Wilson as a reactionary, and that the Democratic platform meant nothing."

Ex-Senator Marion Butler, of North Carolina, also called on Colonel Roosevelt. "He came here to announce," said the Colonel, "that they would hold Republican primaries for Presidential electors in North Carolina, and that he believed they were going to carry them for me five or six to one. He said they were going to put the Roosevelt name on the Republican ticket for electors and that there might be Democrats also who would run for election as Roosevelt electors. That would be all the better. In other words, there will be a sort of union of the Republican and Democratic forces in some cases."

AMERICAN FARMER WANTED

King of Siam Likely to Engage Southern Expert

Washington, July 11.—The King of Siam is searching for a good agricultural adviser to show the people of his country how to make farming profitable, according to information to the Department of Agriculture.

C. A. Cobb, one of the American experts now working in the South in connection with the Boys' Corn Club work, has declared his willingness to accept the place and if he is acceptable to the King doubtless will get it as the department here will recommend him.

John C. Barnett, a young American, who has filled the position for several years, desires to return to this country, hence the vacancy.

FAVORABLY REPORTED.

Army Bill is Shorn of Plan to Oust Gen. Wood.

Washington, July 11.—The re-constructed army appropriation bill snorn of the proposed plan to legislate Major General Wood out of office, and stripped of other features objectionable to the administration, was ordered favorably reported to the Senate by the Military Affairs Committee today.

The House Military Affairs Committee reported favorably the Pepper bill to increase National guard efficiency. It would pay guardsmen 20 per cent. of the amount paid regular soldiers, their officers receiving 5 to 15 per cent of regular army officers' salaries. The pay would be conditioned upon attending drills.

SPORTING EVENTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.
At Pittsburg-Philadelphia (rain).
At Cincinnati, 3; Brooklyn, 2.
Second—Cincinnati, 2; Brooklyn, 3.
At Chicago, 11; New York, 7.
At St. Louis, 9; Boston, 6.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
New York	57	15	.791
New York	57	16	.781
Chicago	43	28	.606
Pittsburg	42	29	.592
Cincinnati	40	36	.526
Brooklyn	28	45	.384
St. Louis	21	53	.284
Boston	22	55	.280

St. Louis, July 11.—St. Louis took the final game of the Boston series here this afternoon 9 to 6 and made it three out of four.

Boston .....303 000 000—6 12 2
St. Louis .....403 100 01x—9 10 2

Tyler, Dickson and Rariden; Steele, Dale, Sallee and Bliss. Time 2:35. Umpires Eason and Emslie.

Chicago, July 11.—Chicago defeated New York today making it three out of four games of the series. The contest was marked with excitement. Lavender opened for Chicago and was hit hard, weakening in the sixth and retiring. The locals had little trouble hitting Wiltse and Crandall.

Chicago .....020 040 05x—11 10 2
New York .....000 205 000— 7 11 3

Lavender. Cheney and Archer; Wiltse, Crandall and Myers. Time 2:10. Umpires Rigler and Finneran.

Cincinnati, July 11.—Cincinnati and Brooklyn divided a double-header here today, identical scores resulting in both games. Ragon split a finger in the first contest and was forced to retire. Smith and Wheat's batting featured. The fielding of both teams was off color.

Brooklyn .....010 000 010—2 8 2
Cincinnati .....000 020 10x—3 6 0

Ragon, Knetzer and Miller; Fromme and McLean. Time 1:37. Umpires Brennan and Owens.

Second game—

Brooklyn .....011 010 000—3 8 1
Cincinnati .....000 000 002—2 7 2

Stack, Rucker and Phelps; Benton, Keefe, Davis and Clarke. Time 2:04. Umpires Brennan and Owens.

Southern League

At Memphis 4; Montgomery 3. (11 innings).
At Chattanooga-Mobile, rain.
At Atlanta 2; New Orleans 3.
Second: Atlanta 9; New Orleans 0. Declared forfeited in the third inning by umpire.
At Nashville 3; Birmingham 1. (14 innings.)

South Atlantic League

At Albany 3; Jacksonville 5.
At Macon 11; Columbia 2.
At Columbus 0; Savannah 1.

International League.

At Providence 5; Baltimore 11.
At Montreal 2; Rochester 6.
At Toronto 2; Buffalo 0.
At Jersey City-Newark, rain.

American Association.

At Minneapolis 5; Columbus 1.
At Milwaukee 2; Louisville 4.
At St. Paul 1; Toledo 2.
At Kansas City 7; Indianapolis 3.

Appalachian League.

At Bristol 6; Knoxville 5.
At Johnson City 8; Morristown 2.
At Cleveland-Asheville, rain.

Virginia League.

At Portsmouth 4; Roanoke 3.

EXPURGATED HIS ADDRESS

Bryan Omitted Reference to Taft Because Mrs. Taft Was Present

Helena, Mont., July 11.—Robert Rose, former secretary to William J. Bryan, is named as authority for a story of how the Nebraskan modified his Ryan-Belmont-Morgan resolution and speech in the Baltimore convention out of regard for the feelings of the President's wife.

Mr. Rose acted as Bryan's stenographer at Baltimore. He says that Mr. Bryan's speech as written before delivery, beside scoring Ryan et al., contained a few points about the Chicago steam roller and referred to the President as alleged recipient of favors from the "interests."

On his way to the convention hall, Mr. Bryan was told that Mrs. Taft was in the audience. After the address had been delivered and the resolution against the "interests" adopted, Mr. Bryan quit the platform.

Then, said Rose, he asked the Nebraskan why he had not completed the speech as it had been dictated. Promptly the Nebraskan declared that entirely out of regard for Mrs. Taft's feelings he expurgated the address, omitting from the resolution all reference to the President.

LIGHTNING STRIKES CAMP.

Two Soldiers Killed and Seventeen Injured at Anniston, Ala.

Anniston, Ala., July 11.—Charles Kirby and H. Rape, were killed and 17 others seriously hurt when the mess tent of Company B, Second Alabama Infantry, was struck by lightning early tonight. Three of the injured troopers are not expected to live. The men were taken to hospitals immediately and placed under treatment of the surgeons of the regular army. All are from the Birmingham district.

Pandemonium reigned in camp for several hours after the bolt struck. The mess hall was not demolished, although nearly all metal of the structure was melted, including several metal cups. A metal artillery flag pole, against which one of the members of the camp was leaning, was melted, without injuring the militiaman. The men were just in the act of signing their pay slips when the stroke came.

Chicago, July 11.—The passing of Norman, "Kid" Elberfield, famous as a major league star to the minors is officially noted in the American League bulletin issued today by President Johnson. Elberfield recently was released by Washington to the Montgomery club of the Southern League.

Insect Bite Costs Leg.

A Boston man lost his leg from the bite of an insect two years before. To avert such calamities from stings and bites of insects use Bucklen's Arnica Salve promptly to kill the poison and prevent inflammation, swelling and pain. Heals burns, boils, ulcers, piles, eczema, cuts, bruises. Only 25 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.
At Washington, 3; Cleveland, 9.
At Philadelphia-Chicago (rain; two games today).
At Boston-St. Louis (rain).
At New York-Detroit (rain).

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	53	25	.679
Washington	48	32	.600
Chicago	42	32	.568
Philadelphia	42	33	.560
Detroit	39	38	.506
Cleveland	40	39	.503
New York	19	45	.297
St. Louis	21	58	.266

Washington, July 11.—Cleveland batted Hughes hard today and defeated Washington 9 to 3. Steen was a big puzzle in the pinches. The batting of Turner was a feature.

Cleveland .....201 102 111—9 15 1
Washington .....100 000 200—3 8 4

Hughes, Engel and Henry and Williams; Steen and Livingston. Time 2:30. Umpires O'Loughlin and Egan.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION.

Results Yesterday:
At Anderson, 5; Greensboro, 3.
At Charlotte, 5; Greenville, 4.
Second—Charlotte, 4; Greenville, 1.
At Winston-Salem, 9; Spartanburg, 1.
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Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Anderson	42	23	.646
Charlotte	38	29	.567
Winston-Salem	38	30	.559
Spartanburg	30	36	.455
Greensboro	29	38	.433
Greenville	23	44	.343

OUTRAGE IN FLORIDA

Negro Trailed to Swamp After Assaulting White Woman

Tampa, Fla., July 11.—Desperately wonded, an unknown negro is hidden in a swamp between DeLand and Palatka, Fla., near Crescent City Junction, while around the swamp is a cordon of officers who have stood guard throughout the night and are waiting for the negro to attempt to force his way to liberty.

The negro was shot down by a woman, wife of a storekeeper at Hull Branch crossing, whom he tried to assault.

She shot at him three times and at the third shot the negro fell, but rose again and headed for the deep woods into which he was later tracked by a posse of deputies and citizens.

The negro entered the store yesterday afternoon, no one was present but a woman clerk. He asked her for a drink of water. She handed him a glass and told him to get it at the pump. The negro grabbed her and she jerked loose from him, leaving a part of her clothing in his grasp. She rushed upstairs to her room, the negro following her. She seized a pistol and fired three shots at him.

He fell at the third shot and she left him lying on the noor, apparently dying, and ran to the nearest neighbor's house When she returned with her neighbor, the negro had gone, leaving a trail of blood, which later was taken up by a posse with two bloodhounds.

They traced the negro for eighteen miles into a big swamp near Crescent City Junction. Back in the woods, the dogs lost the trail, where the negro entered the swamp, which is under water. The posse surrounded the swamp last evening and is still there watching for the negro.

DENTAL SOCIETY ADJOURNS

Virginia Association Elects Officers And Recommends Board

Old Point Comfort, Va., July 11.—The Virginia State Dental Association adjourned today after deciding to meet here again next year and electing officers. Dr. W. H. Ewald, of Norfolk, was chosen as president and the following were named as members of the State Dental Examining Board subject to confirmation by the Governor:

Drs. William S. Sturgess, of Norfolk; R. G. Lewis, of Culpepper; E P. Beadles, of Daniville, and R. C. Walden, of Richmond.

The convention adopted a resolution requesting the North Carolina Dental Association to ask the Legislature of that State to adopt a law compelling practicing dentists to hold the degree of Doctor of Medicine. Another resolution invited the Virginia Medical Society to meet jointly with the dentists at a time and place to be determined for the discussion of questions of mutual interest.

THIRD PARTY HINT TO DENEEN.

Progressives to Put Out Gubernatorial Candidate.

Chicago, July 11.—Medill McCormick returned today from Oyster Bay and gave out this statement:

"In Illinois there will be a candidate for Governor who repudiates the nomination of Mr. Taft as fraudulent and invalid and who will support Mr. Roosevelt and the progressive principles for which he stands."

The statement was not amplified with any details. In some quarters it was regarded as an indication that there would be a third party ticket in the field, and certain politicians looked on it as serving notice on Governor Deneen that unless he comes under the Roosevelt banner he will be opposed for election by another candidate.

The question of a State convention for the third party was not touched and settlement of the meeting place of the National convention of the new party, which is set for August 5th, was left open.

IN NATIONAL CONCLAVE

79 Chapters of Kappa Sigma Are Meeting at Louisville

Louisville, July 11.—Each of the 79 chapters of the Kappa Sigma fraternity is well represented at the grand conclave which entered upon its second day's session this morning.

This afternoon the fraternity brothers were scheduled to participate in a barbecue at the State fair grounds and tonight a visit to the amusement parks constitutes the sole order of business.

Last night the fraternity men were guests of honor at a dance at which there were 200 Kentucky girls, each tagged with her name for convenience of the visitors.

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YANKEES TAKE LION'S SHARE

Americans Have Another Big Day at Olympic Games and Win Pole Vault, Hurdles, Shot Put and 200 Meters Dash.

Stockholm, July 11.—The United States took the lion's share of the victories in the Olympic games today. The Stars and Stripes were again raised on the flag poles at the conclusion of the pole vaulting in honor of Harry S. Babcock, Columbia University, New York; Mars S. Wright, of Dartmouth, and Frank T. Nelson, of Yale. The Columbia man beat the holder of the world's record, but was unable to reach the record. Wright and Nelson were tied for second place and will each receive a silver medal.

In the shot putting contest with right and left hand, Ralph Rose, Olympic Athletic Club, and Patrick J. McDonald, Irish American Athletic Club, won first and second respectively.

Although hopes of a new record were again disappointed, the final heat of the 200 meters dash was the most exciting performance of the day. Ralph C. Craig, of the Detroit Y. M. C. A., and Donald F. Lippincott, University of Pennsylvania, took the honors, with the Briton, W. R. Applegarth pushing them hard. The German, Rau, who runs all distances, was fourth.

The Americans had counted on these points, but they had expected to lose the 10,000 meters walk, which they did, to George Goulding, of Canada. Goulding gave a fine exhibition, outpacing the English crack, E. J. Webb, and beating him 80 yards at the end. The only American in the final event was Frederick H. Kaiser, New York Athletic Club, but the pace proved too fast for him and he dropped out after two miles.

Various nations were interested in the even trial heats and six semi-finals in the 110 meter hurdling. Americans took eight firsts and one second in the trials and five firsts in the semi-finals. Thus, Martin W. Hawkins, John P. Nicholson, James Wendell, Fred W. Kelley and John R. Case will run with the British representative, Powell, in the final. The Englishman had the worst of luck. Anderson promised to win his heat, the fourth in the semi-finals, but fell at the last hurdle.

Lieut. George S. Patton continues to reflect credit on West Point training. By his riding in the cross country event, at 5,000 meters today, he gained fourth place in the modern pentathalon.

Three Swedish officers led, but the Swedes had a month's practice and had studied the difficulties of the course, which included 75 jumps of various kinds.

Patton had a fall at the second of the double ditches. Tomorrow his contest will conclude with a cross country foot race of 4,000 meters, in which the American officer is considered to have an excellent chance.

The swimming this evening furnished a new world's record for the 400 meters, free style. Healy, the Australian, in his trial heat covered the distance in 5:34. He is the popular favorite for the final.

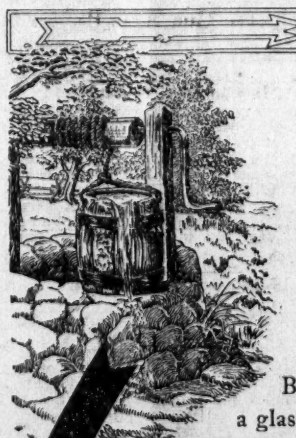
The score as officially announced tonight is: United States 88; Sweden 62; Great Britain 51; Germany 23; Finland 20; France 19; Africa 11; Denmark 11; Norway 10; Italy 9; Canada 6; Hungary 6; Australia 4; Russia, Greece, Belgium, Austria, 3 each; Holland 2.

BLOW TO MACK'S FOLLOWERS.

Murphy's Injury May Prevent Athletics From Winning Pennant.

Philadelphia, July 10.—The admission made by Connie Mack, manager of the world's champion Athletics, that Capt. "Dan" Murphy, the hard-hitting right fielder, is out of the game for the season, was a shock to the followers of the American League team.

His absence from the team may imperil the club's chances of winning another pennant this year. Mr. Mack said Murphy has water on the knee, and that he did not see how he could get in condition to play again this season. Murphy hurt his knee on June 2nd, when he slid into the plate in a game at Chicago.



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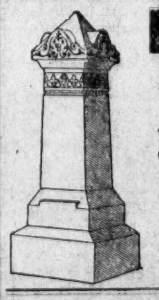

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NEW ASHEVILLE HOTEL.

Bromo-Quinine King Begins Work—Weaverville College Elects.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., July 10.—The actual excavation for the foundations of the hotel to be erected on the side of Sunset mountain by E. W. Grove, of Bromo-Quinine fame, has begun, and the work will go forward as rapidly as possible. For some time the builders have been hauling stone for the construction and there are now thousands of loads on the ground. The hotel is to be rather unique in design and is to be constructed of rough stone. This stone will be taken from the mountain ledges on property owned by Mr. Grove.

The plans of the building have not been given out as to detail, but there will be about 150 bed rooms and the lower floor of the main building will all be in one room with no partitions whatever. The plans are so arranged that additions may be constructed at any time.

Nearly all of the front of this mammoth room will be of glass so as to give an unobstructed view of the comprehensive panorama before the structure. It will afford one of the finest views in the country.

Mr. Grove has a very novel scheme for advertising the hotel. He proposes to have it advertised on every package of medicine which his factories send out and this will amount to about 20,000,000 annually. He will also have lithographs of the hotel made and send these to every drug store in the country with the request that they put them on display.

It is thought that the building will be ready for the opening by July 1st, 1913.

The trustees of Weaverville College have elected Rev. W. A. Newell, pastor of the Haywood Street Methodist church, of this city, as president of the college, in place of Prof. O. S. Dean, who recently resigned to take a position in the faculty of the Cullowhee Normal and Industrial Institute of Jackson county. Other members of the faculty are as follows: Walter E. Best, graduate of Trinity, vice president; M. A. Yost, of Emory and Henry College, re-elected professor of ancient languages; Miss Lassaphine Reeves, Trinity, re-elected to the English department; H. Spear Budette, Wofford, mathematics; Arnold M. Siler, Davidson, history and science; John W. Starnes, music.

The trustees have determined to make a number of changes in the conduct of the college and many improvements in the buildings. The curriculum has been changed according to the recommendations of the general committee on correlation and the college takes its place as a junior institution.

It is planned to erect a modern girls' dormitory and a bond issue of $15,000 has been authorized for the work. The Asheville district of the Methodist conference recently decided to increase the loan fund for the college by $1,000, and to raise a fund of $10,000 for endowment.

The coming big event for Asheville is the proposed Wilson-Marshall day, which has been planned by the Democrats of the city and county for the purpose of ratifying these two Presidential nominees. The movement was started by the Wilson-Craig club, which was recently organized in the interest of Governor Wilson and Hon. Locke Craig. The date has not yet been determined for the ratification meet, but the club holds a meeting Saturday and it is likely that the date will be fixed then. It may depend on the time that Governors Wilson and Marshall can be present as it is the intention of the promoters to make every effort to have them attend.

The Democratic Governors of all the neighboring States will be invited to attend and Congressman Gudger has been requested to invite the Congressmen and Senators of those States. It gives promise of being one of the most successful events in the history of the city.

AN ANGRY DEBTOR.

Brings Suit Against Asheville Merchant Who Pushed Claim.

(Special Star Correspondent.)

Asheville, N. C., July 10—David Gross instituted suit against Patrick McIntyre, a grocer of the city, and this morning filed the complaint, some of the allegations in which are rather interesting. He is asking for $5,000 for malicious prosecution and false arrest and imprisonment and $5,000 on account of sickness of his wife, which he contends resulted from this prosecution.

The complaint sets forth that the plaintiff was in such financial condition during the year 1911 that he could not support his family here nor pay his creditors in full. He decided to go to Cleveland, Ohio, where he had obtained employment. He paid all he could on his indebtedness and arranged with all his creditors except the defendant to wait for the balance until he could send it from Cleveland. He alleges that the defendant refused to wait, even though he had paid about half the debt, and agreed to reduce it still further. Then he contends that he was arrested and forced to give sureties for the debt on the ground that he was disposing of his property and was preparing to leave the State for the purpose of defrauding the defendant. He was unable to reach his home until hours after the usual time and the delay caused a shock to his wife, who was not very strong, which caused a long illness and expense.

PROGRESSIVES NOT IN PRIMARY.

Managers Decide to Nominate by Petition in New York.

New York, July 11.—Managers of the National Progressive party, after several days of consideration, have practically decided not to engage in the coming September primaries in this State to wrest control of the regular Republican organization.

Instead, it is planned to nominate National and State tickets by petition. This plan probably will be followed in other States and insures a three-cornered fight.

William Barnes, Jr., chairman of the Republican State Committee, said that the Republican National Committee headquarters would be established here within a few days.

The first preliminary meeting of the organizers of the party in this State will be held at the Progressive headquarters in this city tomorrow forenoon.

An informal call to representative Progressives in about 20 of the up-State counties, as well as to representative men favoring the movement in the metrop[illegible] district, was sent out [illegible] today.

"AT RIDGE CREST"

Pretty Nenw Place at Which Springs Are Delightful

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., En Route Goldsboro, July 10.—One of the pretty new places on the Southern is called "Ridgecrest." It was formerly known as "Bluemont" and is on the crest of the Blue Ridge; is immediately on the railroad and no hacks are necessary as at many other resorts. The springs are deliciously cool, no ice needed, the water having mineral tonics. A fine $20,000 hotel is in process of erection. The assembly grounds of the North Carolina Y. M. C. A., are here also. A spur track extends to Mt. Mitchell. One-half acre lots fetch from $100 to $300. The place is 900 feet higher than Asheville and is out of debt. Mrs. Rachel Croom, of Burgaw, has a beautiful Summer home next to the Bluemont Hotel. The country here is wild and rugged. We have just passed the fifth tunnel and the railroad is so sinuous it's a difficult matter to keep one's position.

We are now at "Round Knob" upright fountain and going down the mountain with those dangerous looking curves. The famous mud cut is hereabout that slid down for so long a time and was such an obstalce in first building the road. At length we are down the mountain side and cross at Old Fort, the Catawba headwaters. Here for the small sum of ten cents one can get a generous fried chicken lunch. Acres and acres of land are covered with chestnut wood for making tannic acid. In the Catawba valley fine crops of wheat and corn grow—peace and plenty seem smiling in this part of McDowell county.

The farms in this belt seem well cultivated; stands of corn seem to be very good and very green. We are leaving the mountain's wild gorges and precipitous sides. The roadbed goes through smiling valleys. We are getting out of the apple belt and fewer orchards are seen. Marion, the capital of McDowell, seems to be doing a thriving business in the way of furniture. In the days before prohibition went into effect quite a heavy volume of "corn juice" of the old sow-paw flavor. It is a railroad town also. Judging from the busses the hotel accommodations are limited. Here the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio crosses to go under the Southern. At Bridgewater, in the Catawba valley, fine growths of corn are seen.

About the prettiest town in Piedmont North Carolina is Morganton. Here the Western Hospital can be seen situated on the crest of a pine and oak-clad hill. It is an institution presided over for years by Dr. P. L. Murphy, a Sampson county man who is a specialist on insanity. He had few, if any, superiors. There seems to be large lumber industries.

Valdeses, as its name signifies, seems to be vine-clad and the fruit belt is again reached.

Hickory is another pretty town. An amusing advertisement on a bulletin board is conspicuous from the cars. It reads: "Hickory Does Things Write." Here the mountains show dimly in the distance.

At Oyama (Japanese) the first cotton is seen going east. Conover is delightfully situated on comparatively level land. This is a station from which fine stock, cows, hogs, chickens are shipped.

At Newton, the capital of Catawba, factories, knitting mills and fine fields of corn, cotton and wheat grow side by side. The finest peaches seen during my trip are seen here.

Goldsboro, N. C., July 11.—The cotton and other crops have vastly improved since I was here on the first. Corn silks are showing on every side. We are now homeward bound. Have traveled from "Jug Neck" way down in Pender, to Wehutty, way up in Cherokee where the Indian maiden doth gather succotash from the cherry tree. The talk is Wilson, Simmons, Craig and Good Roads. E. D. P.

GREENSBORO SCHOOL MUDDLE

Charges to Be Preferred—To Tournament—Sand-Clay Roads

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., July 11.—It is understood, though not officially, that formal charges against Supt. J. L. Mann, of the city schools, will be preferred this afternoon. The exact nature of the charges to be brought are not known. It was originally planned to have the charges formally preferred on or about the first of July, but the members of the committees having the matter in charge were out of the city. The leader in the fight to oust Mr. Mann was notified to formally bring the charges against him as early as possible in order to allow the selection of a new superintendent before the Fall term of school, should the charges happen to be serious enough to warrant his dismissal.

Greensboro will be represented by a racing team at the State Firemen's Tournament for the first time in several years during the coming tournament at Fayetteville. The city commissioners yesterday made an appropriation of $150 to defray the expenses of a team to participate in the hose wagon races. In addition, the local firemen will be represented by a delegation of 12, headed by F. N. Taylor, chief of the local department.

The county convicts yesterday started work on the new sand-clay road the county is building in the Brown Summit section. It is planned to build more roads of this kind and less of the macadam, the latter proving very expensive and lasting only a short time compared to the cost.

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Be sure to ask for the double [illegible] othine [illegible] remove freckles.

IN CAMP GLENN.

Doings of the Soldier Boys of the Second Regiment.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Camp Glenn, Morehead City, N. C., July 9.—Dress parade today was in honor of the regiment's beloved chaplain, Rev. N. Harding, of Washington, N. C., who has held a commission since 1884. A large crowd of ladies and gentlemen reviewed the soldier boys. After dress parade Company F, of Fayetteville, Capt. Paul Watson, not by any means a small man, but a most popular captain, gave a musical drill in front of the grand stand. The drill was the new series of 34 counts and was beautifully executed. This drill was given under orders of Capt. A. J. Doughtery, U. S. A.

Col. H. C. Bragaw, who was commissioned colonel of the Second Regiment December 4th, 1902, is now on a furlough and paid Camp Glenn a visit today accompanied by Mrs. Bragaw, who is one of the handsomest women in the State.

Dr. Geo. Whitfield, of Goldsboro, gave a delightful boat party in honor of Miss Mignon McCarty, of Atlanta, on board the Mamie C. Hawkins last night. The party was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. C. Mitchell and delightful light refreshments were served.

In the scores for field firing Co. F, of Fayetteville, was first; Company M, of Durham, second, and Company H, of Clinton, third.

Miss Catherine Stewart, of Newbern, is one of the most popular young ladies stopping at the Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City.

Capt. W. J. Sturges, assistant quartermaster general, is a very popular officer in camp.——Capt. P. V. Conn, of the paymaster's department in Raleigh, arrived today.

WASHINGTON NEWS NOTES.

Teachers Are Elected—Launch Trip. Elks to Build.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, N. C., July 11.—At a recent meeting of the board of trustees of the Washington public schools the teachers were elected for the coming year. The schools made exceptionally good progress last year and accomplished more work than ever before in its history. The faculty is one of the strongest in the State and the coming year bids fair to eclipse all former records in the school work.

Capt. L. W. Priest, of this city, has just returned from New York, where he took the "Lily Z" a 40-foot gasolene launch, running under her own power from this city. The boat left here on June 12th, under the command of Capt. Priest, and touched at several of the larger cities on the way. The captain reports that the trip was maue without mishap and was very successful.

Rev. R. V. Hope, of the Christian church in this city, is holding a series of protracted meetings in Elizabeth Chapel, at Blount's Creek township, in this county. Large congregations are attending nightly.

It is rumored in this city that the local order of Elks are contemplating the erection of a handsome home for the order in this city. Several sites are under consideration, but as yet nothing definite has been decided.

MARRIED AT KELLY, N. C.

Mr. James Fred Simpson Claims Bride In Pender County

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Atkinson, N. C., July 10.—At 4 o'clock P. M., at the home of the bride, Mr. Jas. Fred Simpson, of Point Caswell, N. C., was united in marriage to Miss Sallie Pridgen, daughter of Mr. Jefferson D. Pridgen, Kelly, N. C., Rev. E. B. Carr, Atkinson, N. C., officiating.

The marriage was a quiet home affair, with just a dozen or more of the nearest neighbors present. Such quiet marriages, whether it be in the home or in the church, meets the hearty approval of the writer. A quiet, inexpensive wedding meets the approval of the Bible, and is in keeping with good, hard common sense.

Just after the marriage, the bride and groom left for their home at Point Caswell, N. C., Pender county. May the Lord bless this young couple to live a long, happy and useful life. May they have in their left hand long life and peace and in their right hand riches and honor, as much as shall be for their good and for God's glory. Perhaps, there could not be a better resolve made by any young married couple than this: "As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord." Joshua 24:15.

E. B. CARR.

Healthy Mothers

Women who bear children and remain healthy are those who prepare their systems in advance of baby's coming. Unless the mother aids nature in its pre-natal work the crisis finds her system unequal to the demands made upon it, and she is often left with weakened health or chronic ailments. No remedy is so truly a help to nature as Mother's Friend, and no expectant mother should fail to use it. It relieves the pain and discomfort caused by the strain on the ligaments, makes pliant and elastic those fibres and muscles which nature is expanding, prevents numbness of limbs, and soothes the inflammation of breast glands. The system being thus prepared by Mother's Friend dispels the fear that the crisis may not be safely met. Mother's Friend assures a speedy and complete recovery for the mother, and she is left a healthy woman to enjoy the rearing of her child. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers which contains much valuable information, and many suggestions of a helpful nature.

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MRS. LEEYES.

Dr. R. V. Pierce, the founder of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, and a physician of large experience and practice, was the first to make up an ALTERATIVE EXTRACT of roots, without a particle of alcohol or narcotic.

"It is with the greatest of pleasure, that I write to let you know of the great benefit I received from the use of your medicines and self-treatment at home," writes MRS. WM. HEYES, of Ladysmith, B. C. "I suffered for three years from a running sore. Consulted four doctors but they failed to mend or give relief. Finally I was told I was in consumption and would have to consult a specialist concerning my ear, that the dead bone must be cut out before the wound would heal. A kind friend advised me to write to Dr. Pierce, which I did, and after seven months' use of the treatment the sore is healed, and I enjoy better health than I ever did. I dressed the wound with Dr. Pierce's All-Healing Salve and took the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets' for my troubles. I shall always recommend your medicines.

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No. 51, 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.**	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	**Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.**	No. 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.**	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford Through Pullman Parlor Car Service between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
N. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (1), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, **All Florida Points,** Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.**	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.**	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, ! 8:30 A. M.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect June 1st, 1912.

WEEK DAYS:

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6:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P.M. 12:00 P.M. * 6:10 P.M.	6:05 A. M. 7:15 A. M. and every half hour until 11:45 P.M.

* Business Men's Express daily except Saturday and Sunday stops only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
6:00 A.M. 10:00 A.M. 4:00 P.M. 7:00 P.M.	7:15 A.M. 12:15 P.M. 6:15 P.M. 8:15 P.M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
7:00 A.M. 8:30 A.M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P.M. 12:00 P.M.	7:15 A.M. 7:45 A.M. 9:15 A.M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P.M.

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Schedule in Effect Sunday, July 14th, 1912.

P. M.		A. M.
*2:15 Lv.	. . . Wilmington . . .	Ar. 8:30
4:05 "	. . . . . Town Creek	" 7:35
4:20 "	. . . . . Bolivia	" 7:20
4:55 Ar.	. . . . Southport	Lv. 6:45

* Daily, except Sunday.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:35 p.m.
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Friday, July 12, 1912.

Those who steal from Roosevelt are coyotes. Those who steal for him are patriots.

It isn't what a fellow was in the dead past, it is what he is in the progressive present.

One reason the ordinary boss is losing out is because he doesn't do things to suit the big boss.

Taft has two opponents who have written books. However, he is not in a position to profit from them.

A progressive is a man who has just waked up and found out that new political ideas are old ones come to life.

Try to get all you can, and can the best of what you get. Do the best you can, and if you try you can.

Till a few acres of land around Wilmington. There are plenty of strong banks where you can deposit as you farm.

The North Carolina Democracy knows the right way to get votes for the right. It will catch 'em with its Webb.

In order to keep from being bitterly disappointed don't have too many intense desires and overwhelming ambitions.

Women's skirts, says a fashion note, will be tighter this Fall than they were this Spring and Summer. Why not knit these wonderful creations?

If Taft can prove that he has followed out Roosevelt's policies, he ought to strike the blow now in order to furnish some excuse for his administration.

One term is too long for some Presidents and two terms are enough for all Presidents. The longer a President is incumbent the less popular he becomes.

The Hon. Ollie James declares: "Roosevelt has no show." At the same time he is preparing a programme for more of his queer performances.

Some men have the courage of their convictions, while others are possessed of the deviltry of their prejudice. Men generally have more suspicion than intuition.

Good roads make rural life more agreeable, and make hauling more economical. Good roads are worth ten times their cost because nothing so surely promotes agriculture and increases land values.

"All men are born free and equal"—free of clothing and equal in helplessness. All men are independent until they get married. It is by their own free will and accord that they become subject to the powers that be.

The Republicans are counting on votes from the Democrats, says an exchange. There is nothing new in that. Democrats always count on gaining votes from Republicans. That is why so much campaigning is done. Speakers do not go around for fun. They expect to strengthen the political faith of some and convince others that they are in the wrong pew.

The Hon. Champ Clark has a right to say what he thinks about the way he was treated in the Baltimore convention, but the Speaker is a big man, much bigger than some of his detractors are willing to admit. Those who do not know the great Missouri statesman should look up some of his speeches. We recall some that have never been surpassed for their ringing exposure of the Republican party and for their effectiveness in defining the principles of the Democratic party.

COMPETITION FOR CAPITAL.

The Saturday Evening Post recently contained an editorial to account for the fact that investors are paying less stiff prices for securities and are demanding a higher rate of interest. The price of money is the interest it will bring, and the increased interest rate shows that the price of money has increased like the price of all other commodities.

The Saturday Evening Post calls attention to the fact that French 3 per cent. bonds recently sold below 92 against 105 fifteen years ago. That is a difference of 13, or about 8 per cent. decline in the value of the bonds, a loss which falls on the seller. The seller's actual interest is also increased on a 3 per cent. bond, because he really has to pay 3 per cent. on a par value of say $100, whereas he gets an actual loan of only $92 instead a premium value of $105. That increases the interest nearly one-half of one per cent.

About the same time in London, says the Saturday Evening Post, an offering of East Indian government bonds was practically a failure while subscriptions to a Canadian city loan were very disappointing. A further illustration is made by pointing to the fact that early in May the city of New York sold $65,000,000 worth of 4 1-4 per cent. bonds at a bare fraction above par. Eight years ago that great city was selling 3 1-2 per cent. bonds at a good premium. The Saturday Evening Post makes this explanation:

"Investible capital is demanding and securing better wages—even while it multiplies rapidly the world over. It might fairly be said the multiplication of capital is the very reason why it commands higher interest. In the 18th century the English government borrowed at 3 per cent. The stock of investible capital was very small, but the opoprtunities for thoroughly safe investment were even smaller. A borrower like the government, which could offer undoubted security for a long term, had almost a monopoly of the market. Along with the great increase in capital, the means of safe investment have increased vastly. Numberless enterprises created by surplus capital can now compete with the government in offering secure long term investments. The immediate cause of the last decline in French rentes is found in the offering of a large railroad loan at 4 per cent. Investors sold their government bonds in order to buy the railroad bonds, that paid 1 per cent. higher interest. Increase in capital has been accompanied by livelier competition for capital."

As borowers, the huge corporations are coming in competition with governments and municipalities, and are thus greatly increasing the supply of gilt edge securities. Investors being safe, can take their choice of bonds, and get them practically at their own figures. The fact is ,the money markets of the world are flooded with securities and the issues are constantly on the increase, owing to wonderful development going on all over the world. The consequence is that capital is in ready demand and commands higher interest.

At the same time capital is looking all over the world for borrowers. British, French, and other foreign capital is looking for borrowers in all countries, and immense quantities of it are coming to the United States. In the meantime, American money is going into numerous countries, Mexico having absorbed an immense amount of it for the tremendous development going on there. American money is looking for its share in the new Chinese loan, and New York financiers have recently sent agents to South America to investigate opportunities for loans.

This might appear curious when the opportunities for capital in the South are unlimited. More rapid development here lags for lack of money, but the day is coming when the money loaners are going to look for more business in the South. Some classes of Southern securities are paying 4, 5 and 6 per cent., and those securities are finding increasing favor at the North.

Money loaners have eagerly taken North Carolina drainage bonds because they pay good interest and mean an absolutely safe investment. While capital is plentiful eastern North Carolina ought to make a raid on the markets for enough money to drain at least 1,000,000 acres of rich swamp lands, only a small area of our vast region of fertile lands now being but wastes of muck and water.

THE CATTLE INDUSTRY

With the agricultural operations of the country hardly able to cope with the demands of consumers all over the world, it can be said that the prospects for farming were never better than at present. There is a great demand for everything produced, because the producers are now fewer than the consumers. This holds good for all kinds of farm products, including cattle, sheep, hogs, goats, etc.

With the great world demand for beef on the increase, cattle raising ought to be especially attractive to North Carolina farmers. Owing to the big demand in the United States and Europe, it is hardly possible to expect lower prices for beef, for the world is not producing enough to supply the demand. Therefore, the farmer who raises cattle and other meat animals will find it profitable in four ways—for meat, for dairying, for hides, and for fertilizer. Cattle raising ought to be a great industry in eastern North Carolina, and it will be if all our counties will adopt the no-fence law so we can get rid of the Texas cattle tick. When we begin to cultivate pastures instead of depending upon the woods and swamps for grazing, we will have a thousand cattle where we now have one.

Feeding the people in the populous cities and countries of Europe is a great problem, and it is hardly a less one for our own country. We are not producing enough beef to supply our own needs, but we have to divide with Europe by exporting considerable quantities of canned meats. London and other great cities are getting uneasy about the beef supply, and what it is for that town one may faintly conceive when we recall the fact, as stated in The Star a few days ago, that London is preparing additional cold storage for 250,000 carcasses at one time.

That looks like a big lot of beef but it is only a few days rations for London's several million of inhabitants. London is being supplied with beef from South America, and many refrigerator ships are engaged in transporting dressed meat alone. The supply comes principally from Argentina and Brazil. Argentina is a great cattle country, and while Brazil is said to be equally adaptible for cattle raising, railroad transportation was lacking. Now that is being rapidly supplied, and it is opening up a great field for European capital. Beef is such a necessity to Great Britain that great syndicates are being organized in England with the object of raising cattle in Brazil for export to the principal European markets.

With the world's beef demand unlimited, and always short of supply, we ought to open our eyes in North Carolina and raise beef cattle by the thousands. If we were only to supply our own needs it would save us annually millions of dollars. The Atlantic Coast Line soon will run an agricultural train throughout its territory, and one of its features will be an exhibition of beef and dairy cattle, besides valuable lectures and literature on the subject. Everybody should be sure to meet that train to look and listen.

A YOUNG MAN'S CAMPAIGN.

The Washington Post calls attention to the fact that this is to be "a young man's campaign". It is a young man's campaign in more particulars than one, but the Post stresses the fact that the campaigns of both President Taft and Dr. Wilson will be under the management of young men. Says the Post:

"With the selection of Charles D. Hilles as chairman of the Republican National Committee and the probability of the selection of William F. McCombs as chairman of the Democratic National Committee, the indications are that the coming campaign will find the youth, energy, and brains of each camp pretty evenly matched. The younger generation is to have full sway. Youth will be served. In the preconvention campaign it was plain that where the younger politicians battled victory perched. With the coming of the new generation there have come new methods, new energy, new ideas."

Mr. William F. McCombs, who is most likely to be the National Democratic chairman and have charge of Wilson's campaign, is under 40 years of age, and Mr. Charles D. Hilles, who has been selected by President Taft as National Republican chairman, is about the same age. While both these men are plenty old enough as discretion goes, it is generally the older and more experienced politicians who are put forward as the generals to fight the political battles. However, these strenuous times call for young men, and while they may lack experience they do not lack brains, energy and initiative.

In fact, both Hilles and McCombs are the very boys to make the fight, for they both waged great campaigns for the nomination of their chiefs. It is a mistaken idea that it is necessary for men to have experience to manage a campaign. It really depends more upon genuine ability, ingenuity and activity. Sometimes the young fellows can take it and lay it all over the old experienced fellows.

The beauty about all of it is that it brings the young men to the front, and they generally get there anyhow. There is always new blood in our Presidential campaigns, and it is specially noticeable because of the four years lapse between National political battles. Boys 17 years old when Taft was elected will help to elect the President this time. It is really said that it is the first voters who will decide the contest. The young man is always important, and he should always be impressed with his importance.

The National Prohibition party will nominate a candidate for President and Vice President. As prohibition is a local question, it is difficult to see how this great moral issue can be affected by nominations which never poll the prohibition strength of the country. In the last Presidential election, Dr. Chafin, the presidential nominee polled 360 votes in North Carolina and received 253,840 votes in the United States. Just enough votes were cast for the prohibition ticket in some States to defeat prohibition Democrats or Republicans. North Carolina Democrats have elected several prohibition legislatures, and it was because the prohibitionists coperated with the party and did not throw away their votes by maintaining a separate organization.

There are a lot of clever and honest North Carolina Republicans, and owing to what's happened and what's needed for the good of the people and the country, they should vote for Wilson. Some men who are mighty good Democrats now were once Republicans.

CURRENT COMMENT.

See that Gawge Harvey has climbed on the band-wagon and wants to drive.—Columbia State.

Mr. Wilson appears to be right on the tariff and it is to be hoped that he can get his party in line behind him.—Durham Herald.

Charles J. Bonaparte, attorney general in Col. Roosevelt's cabinet, says he will vote for Wilson if Col. Roosevelt does not run. He thinks Col. Roosevelt should stay in the race to defeat Taft but admits the need for a new party is not pressing. If evidence were needed that there is no necessity for Col. Roosevelt's new party, the statement of his former chief legal adviser should be sufficient.—Savannah News.

Last year's cotton crop was fourteen million bales. Cotton sold at eight cents. This year's crop will be sixteen million bales, according to the estimates of the Department of Agriculture, which generally are correct. Cotton is selling at 13 cents. The fact that some two milion bales which remained in the fields until early this year are included in the estimate for this year partially explains the size of the crop for 1912, but it should be remembered that the two million bales taken from the fourteen million bale crop of last year and added to the crop of this year, would, if taken from this year's crop, still leave fourteen million bales as the size of the crop of 1912. It is hard to say why cotton this year should be five cents higher than last.—Petersburg Index-Appeal.

The county of Robeson, in the State of North Carolina, is a little giant when it comes to raising cotton. The production of cotton in Robeson, in 1911, was 76,812 bales, Scotland, which was cut off from Robeson, produced 32,743 bales, so that the production of cotton in Robeson county as it was, amounted to 109,555 bales. But taking the crop of Robeson as that county is now formed, it is more than double the cotton crop of the entire State of Virginia. There is no county in either Oklahoma, Georgia, Louisiana, or Mississippi, that can equal it in number of bales raised. There are three counties in South Carolina that barely exceed it—Anderson, with 80,382 bales; Orangeburg, with 87,976 bales, and Spartanburg with 78,145. There are 172 counties in Texas, many of them large ones, and only 10 of Texas' counties raise more cotton than does Robeson county and Scotland counties combined, or than Robeson county before it was dismembered. Robeson county alone comes within less than 30,000 bales of raising as much cotton as the whole State of Florida. And Robeson county isn't half trying, either. Four years ago that county raised but 47,104 bales, only a little more than Mecklenburg. With only a little prodding, the farmers of Robeson county might run their cotton crop to over a hundred thousand bales.—Charlotte Observer.

PRESIDENTIAL SITUATION

Editor Star:—Although an ardent supporter of Mr. Taft, who should have a second term, I must admit that the chances of his election are exceedingly slim in face of the disruption in the Republican party.

On the Democratic side you have a unity of the different factions, so that in my humble judgment the result of the coming election can easily be predicted. A change in the administration generally produces a certain unrest in business, but I am happy to state that the conditions which confront us this time are not likely to bring forth a similar feeling as the record of the Democratic candidate assures the people of this land as well as the foreigner who has commercial interests here at stake that prosperity will not be turned to the negative side if we have fair crops. As the actual condition of the business interests of Wilmington is a flourishing one and a good many improvements are planned, I take the opportunity to express my views, as I don't like to see the boom that is on, halted by political uncertainties and agitation which generally arise at a near Presidential election.

Yours very truly,
DAVID STERN.

STOLE TO BE "GOOD FELLOW."

Trusted Employe of Importing Firm Admits Defalcation.

New York, July 11.—William M. Lawrence, 40 years old, a church member and trusted employe of the rice and grain importing concern of Daniel Talmadge's Sons, admitted in the Tombs court to Magistrate Corrigan today that he had taken at least $23,000 from the concern during the past six years.

This money, he said, had been spent in being a "good fellow and spender" in the Tenderloin. He was held in $5,000 bail for action by the grand jury. The firm alleges that the theft will amount to $40,000.

BETTING ODDS ON WILSON.

$5,000 on Stock Exchange at 5 to 4 Finds No Takers.

New York, July 10.—Real money is being wagered in the financial district today on the Presidential election.

From somewhere $1,000 appeared, to be placed against Governor Wilson, and it was immediately covered at odds of 11 to 9, the Wilson contingent taking the long end. The recorded wagers were $550 to $450, $275 to $225 and two bets later of $300 to $200.

On the Stock Exchange $5,000 was reported as waiting to be placed on Governor Wilson at odds of 5 to 4. There were no takers.

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Increase in Price of Products Was 17.5 Per Cent in a Year.

Washington, July 11.—The farmers of the country were being paid more by 17.5 per cent. for their products on July 1st this year than they received last year at that time, Victor H. Olmstead, chief of the Bureau of Statistics, Department of Agriculture, announced today.

This increase in prices was the average on crops which represent about three-fourths of the value of all crops of the Nation.

The increase in prices in cents being paid the farmers July 1st, this year over those on the same date last year, include: Corn 11; wheat and oats 15; barley 12; rye 6 1-2; buckwheat 6; potatoes 7; hay $1.56.

There was an increase of seven cents in the price of flax seed and three cents in cotton.

Increase in the prices of other products include: Hogs 99 cents; beef cattle 80; veal calves 61; eggs 2 1-2; butter 3; sheep 28; lambs 51; milch cows $1.98; milk 2 1-2; beans 4; sweet potatoes 16; onions 21; clover seed $2.89; timothy seed $1.44; wool, unwashed 3; cabbage 21; broom corn $10 (ton); bran $3.48.

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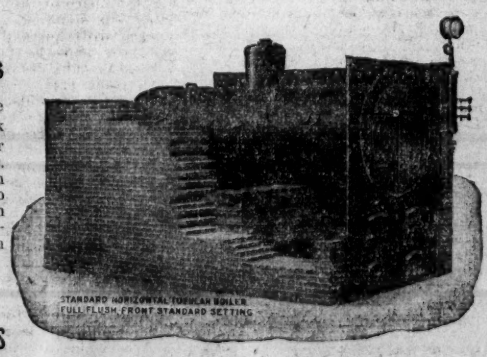

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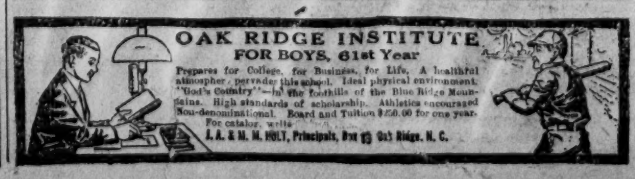

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SERVICE IS UNSATISFACTORY

Complaint Made Against Telephone Company at Meeting of Chamber of Commerce—Referred to Committee for Report.

Characterizing the telephone service in Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach as abominable and asserting that this city had been imposed upon long enough by the Southern Bell Telephone Company, Mr. B. O. Stone, a leading business man of Wilmington, with considerable holdings both in the city and at the beach, yesterday afternoon at the regular meeting of that body called upon the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce to use its utmost endeavors to secure a change of conditions without further delay.

Mr. Stephen D. Lucas, district manager of the Bell Company, was present and Mr. Stone remarked that he was glad he was there so he could hear his comments. He said that on Wednesday night a prominent citizen of Atlanta staying a few days at the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, of which Mr. Stone is secretary and treasurer, had stated to Mr. Lucas that it was hard for him to conceive of such poor service as is given here and that upon his return home he expected to take the matter up with the Southern manager, believing that in so doing he would be performing a service not only for Wilmington but for the hundreds of Georgians who visit the beach every season.

Mr. Stone referred to the fact that some months ago complaint was made as to the service and that Mr. Morgan B. Speir, division manager of Charlotte, came here and with Mr. Lucas went over the entire situation, admitted that the service was bad, offered an explanation to the public and promised an immediate improvement. However, there was only very little, if any, improvement and he said that conditions have now become worse than they were at that time. He said that he was interested in paying for 16 telephones and therefore had a right to register a complaint against the poor service. He referred to the fact that the telephone company had him at a disadvantage in that it could and would come to him and say that the telephone would be cut out if the bills were not paid by a certain time, yet when it comes to compelling the company to give the service for which he pays it is another matter. The service is slow, said Mr. Stone, and especially so on second call. He said that he did not blame Mr. Lucas, but the responsibility for the bad service should be placed where it belongs and that the Chamber should see that the conditions are remedied. Mr. Stone said that it appears to him that the trouble was caused by an incompetent force or an insufficient number of operators.

In conclusion he called upon the Chamber of Commerce to present the existing conditions to the proper officials of the company and that if they will not act to seek relief in some other way.

President M. J. Corbett, who presided, stated that the matter had already been referred to the telephone committee for investigation and report. Mr. H. deW. Rapalje, chairman of the committee, was present, but stated that he had been out of the city so much of late that he had never received any official notice of his appointment nor had he been asked to take up this question. However, he stated that he would give it his earliest attention.

The report of the special committee on the depth of water at the Quarantine Station, near Southport, was received and ordered placed on file. Some time ago the Southport Chamber of Commerce complained of insufficient depth of water at the Quarantine Station and asked the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce to aid in securing a deepening of the river channel at that point. On the surface the soundings as made under the direction of the Southport Chamber of Commerce and the local United States engineer showed a considerable difference, the latter's report showing that approximately the usual depth of water obtains at the point referred to. The committee went into the matter very thoroughly and then wrote the Southport body that after a careful investigation that it had come to the conclusion that there was a difference of only five or six inches after all and suggested that the Southport Chamber's soundings might be incorrect. It was stated in the report, or communication, to the Southport body that Maj. Stickle, local engineer, had always been found to be in sympathy with all local projects.

President Corbett mentioned the fact that the annual meeting of the Association of County Commissioners of North Carolina will be held at the Oceanic Hotel in August and suggested that the entertainment committee be empowered to make arrangements to entertain the visitors. Upon motion of Mr. H. C. McQueen, the secretary, Mr. Howard B. Branch, was instructed to notify the committee of the meeting and ask that arrangements be made to entertain the county solons. The meeting was in session less than an hour.

PORTRAIT OF COL. McLEAN.

Columbia Lady Goes to Lumberton to Put Painting in Court House.

The following from yesterday's Columbia State will be read with interest throughout this section:

"Having completed an oil portrait of the late Col. N. A. McLean, of Lumberton, N. C., Miss Esther Edmonds, accompanied by Mrs. H. H. Beard, sister-in-law of Col. McLean, has gone to Lumberton to deliver the painting The portrait was done for the bar association of Lumberton to be placed in the new court house in that city. Col. McLean, a prominent North Carolinian who died last year, was very instrumental in getting the new court house.

"This is of especial interest to South Carolinians in that Col. McLean married Miss Essie Stewart, of Yorkville, a niece of W. H. Stewart, of Rock Hill, State Senator from York county. Col. McLean has visited in Columbia at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Beard. Fan Clarke."

"The Wooing of White Fawn."

The Pathe picture production at the Grand Theatre today.

DEATH OF MR. JAMES F. MOORE

Splendid Pender County Citizen Entered Into Rest Yesterday Morning—Funeral Will be Conducted Today.

Many friends throughout Eastern North Carolina, especially in Wilmington, where he was so well and favorably known, will hear with profound sorrow of the death of Mr. James F. Moore, of Currie, Pender county, which occurred at his home yesterday morning at 3:30 o'clock, following an illness of some months during which he suffered with cancer of intestines.

While it had been known for several days that Mr. Moore's condition was critical, his loved ones and the community at large were totally unprepared for the shock that came with the announcement that he had passed away. Mr. Moore was recently carried to Baltimore for special treatment and after remaining in the hospital for some time, it was seen that there was little chance for recovery and he returned with his brother, Mr. Walter Moore, of Greenville, S. C., to his home at Currie, where fully cognizant of his condition, he patiently awaited the end which came to relieve him of his sufferings.

Mr. Moore was 62 years of age and was a son of the lamented James P. Moore, of Pender. He had lived practically all his life at the old family homestead, had served his county in a number of important public capacities, notably the State Senate, but was best known as the moving spirit and for a dozen years or more president of the Moore's Creek Monumental Association, which has done so much towards appropriately marking and preserving that famous Revolutionary battleground. He was a man of strong intellectuality and his addresses as president of the Battleground Association were always eloquent and breathing that spirit of patriotism, devotion to God and country that were ever the characteristics of his useful life. As gentle as a child, he was nevertheless a man of strong opinion and did not hesitate to take a stand for what he conceived to be the right. He was a devoted member and a regular communicant of Caswell Presbyterian church and gave freely of his substance towards the support of all church work. He was never married and is survived now of the immediate family only by two brothers, Mr. E. A. Moore, of Currie, and Mr. Walter B. Moore, a prominent cotton mill man of Greenville, S. C. A nephew and a niece live at Atkinson, N. C. All members of the bereaved family have the tenderest sympathy of a host of friends in their loss. Many warm personal friends in all parts of the State will feel a sense of deep personal loss in the passing of Mr. Moore, who was indeed one of nature's noblemen. He frequently came to Wilmington and it was always a source of inspiration and pleasure to see his smiling countenance and to experience that cordial handshake that made him a prince of good fellows in any company into which he went. The loss of Mr. Moore and the passing of Dr. Geo. F. Lucas hardly more than a month ago removes from the Currie section two of its best and most popular citizens.

The remains of Mr. Moore, after funeral service, will be interred this morning at 11 o'clock at Cedar Dale cemetery, the burying ground of the family for several generations. It is expected that a large number of people from Pender and from this county will attend the obsequies.

AUTO AND CART COLLIDED

Mr. J. B. Fales' Machine Badly Damaged and Son Slightly Injured

In a collision yesterday between the automobile of Mr. J. B. Fales and a coal cart of the Springer Coal Co., in charge of a colored driver, and which Mr. Fales said was the latter's fault, the machine was badly torn up and Carl Fales, the young son of Mr. Fales, was slightly injured. The accident occurred shortly after 7 o'clock yesterday afternoon on Third, between Ann and Nun streets, about midway the block.

Mr. and Mrs. Fales and children spent yesterday at Carolina Beach and it was when they were returning to their home from the boat that the accident occurred. An automobile was standing about midway the block near the scene of the accident and Mr. Fales in his machine and the cart were approaching each other. Mr. Fales, it is said, kept to the right of the road as the negro drove up behind the auto that was standing still. Suddenly the negro drove hurriedly out from behind the car and the collision with Mr. Fales' machine followed. In the crash the front part of the machine was practically demolished; the cart was overturned and the colored driver thrown to the ground. He was badly bruised and otherwise slightly injured. Carl Fales sustained slight injury and it will likely be several days before he will be able to get out again. Mr. Fales reported the matter to the police last night and an investigation of the affair will probably be made.

DANCY LEWIS WAS SEEN

Police Searching for Outlawed Negro —Burglarized Residence

The police are making a thorough search for Dancy Lewis, the outlawed negro who is said to have recently entered the residence of Mrs. P. L. Bridgers, South Third street, and who has been in a number of difficulties here, from time to time, during the past few years.

Chief of Police Fowler received word at the police station yesterday that Lewis had been seen during the day and he stated last night that the search for him would continue until he is captured. Lewis is considered a desperate character and he was declared an outlaw by Chief Fowler, as a magistrate, and Justice George Harriss.

Excursionists Throng City

An excursion arriving here yesterday from Hamlet and intermediate points on the Seaboard Air Line brought the largest crowd to the city this season. There were about 1,200 persons in the party and the majority of them spent the day at Wrightsville Beach. The excursion was conducted under the auspices of several Sunday schools and the train left on the return trip last night at 8:30 o'clock [illegible] came down [illegible] tions.

WILL EXTERMINATE THE RATS

Health Department Plans to Capture Large Number of the Pests—To Prevent Possible Entry Of Bubonic Plague

In common with the other ports along the Atlantic seaboard, in response to the request of the United States marine hospital service as sent out a few days ago, Wilmington is to begin a campaign to exterminate the rats, especially those that throng the water front, the object of the crusade being to prevent a possible entry of the bubonic plague which is said to be prevalent in the West Indies.

There are only a few vessels which come to this port from the West Indies and these are held up for thorough inspection at the Quarantine Station, near Southport, so there is but the barest chance of the disease being brought to Wilmington. However, the city's efficient health department has decided not to take even the smallest chance and in its efforts will ask the hearty support of the people generally. The campaign is in line with the crusade that is being made in Savannah, Charleston, Norfolk and other important ports. Members of the United States marine hospital corps have observed that rats carry bubonic plague in the majority of instances. It is the fleas that live upon the rats that act as "intermediary hosts" and persons whom they bite may be inoculated therewith. Therefore, in order to ascertain whether or not there are any rats in Wilmington which may be carriers of this disease it is necessary to have live rats and arrangements are being made by the health department, through Dr. Charles T. Nesbitt, the superintendent, to secure 500 or 1,000 of the pests for examination to determine whether or not they are infested with the fleas.

Dr. Chas. W. Stiles, of the United States marine hospital corps, who is doing special research work at the marine hospital in this city, and Dr. C. H. Gardner, surgeon in charge of the local marine hospital, have offered to give every assistance possible. The rats will be taken to the marine hospital for examination, where the benefit of the hospital's equipment may be had.

Dr. Nesbitt is working out a plan by which he hopes to secure the co-operation of the merchants on the wharf. He will ask them to give him barrels, which will be made into traps and left on the premises. These traps will be visited each day and the rats taken therefrom. It is believed that practically all the merchants will be glad of the opportunity to get rid of some of the pests around their places.

The question was considered at the meeting of the City Council Wednesday and Iredell Meares, Esq., suggested that the city ought to offer 5 to 10 cents for every rat dead or alive delivered to the health department. He considered the matter one of great importance and said that the city would be better off by decreasing the number of rats. A resolution was adopted by the City Council and given in yesterday's paper, but it might be well to give it again here:

"Whereas, That the appearance of Bubonic plague in the West Indies has been brought toe attention of the United States to prevent its entry and spread through the several ports of the States and whereas it has been demonstrated that rats are its medium of spread, be it

"Resolved, That the extermination of rats in the City of Wilmington is of serious importance to health and that all citizens of the city use their efforts in aiding to exterminate them."

JUNIORS INSTALL OFFICERS

Meeting of Jeff Davis Council Last Night—Lodge Growing

At the regular meeting of Jeff Davis Council No. 63, Junior O. U. A. M., held last night, officers for the ensuing term were installed by Deputy State counsellor O. E. Merritt to serve during the ensuing term.

The officers are as follows: Counsellor, Woodus Kellum; Vice Counsellor, Hardy Lanier; Recording Secretary, John E. Wood; Assistant Recording Secretary, J. B. Hewlett; Treasurer, G. C. Simmons; Conductor, Carl Marshburn; Warden, E. W. Hewlett; Inside Sentinel, H. C. Blake; Outside Sentinel, J. E. Sellman; J. R. P. C., W. P. Burns; Trustees, Messrs. H. F. Farrow, E. C. Woodbury and W. E. Yopp. The Jeff Davis Council is in excellent condition and the membership is growing rapidly, 45 members have been initiated into the secrets of the order during the past year. The total membership is now 250 and great interest is being taken in the affairs of the lodge.

The Recorder's Court.

Three cases were the sum total of the docket in the Recorder's court yesterday morning, and none of these was of any great importance. Agnes Armbrister and Larry Rus, a colored couple, were tried on charges of assaulting one Emma Beckton, colored, with deadly weapons. They were found guilty, but as the cases were not of an aggravated nature, judgment was suspended in each instance on the payment of the costs. One lonely drunk was taxed $5 and costs for his indulgence.

Brigade Boys in Camp.

The annual encampment of Company C, the younger boys of the Boys' Brigade, was begun yesterday at Southport, the large party embarking on the steamer Wilmington yesterday morning and arriving at their destination in the afternoon. The encampment will last for one week, when the boys will return to the city, and beginning next week the older companies will leave for an encampment of about ten days. Mr. Chas. Dushan, the secretary and able director, is in charge.

Crabs Win From Sandfiddlers.

The Crabs defeated the Sandfiddlers last night in a game of indoor baseball at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium by the score of 8 to 4. The game was featured by the pitching of Cleapor for the Sandfiddlers and Lewis for the [illegible] and 10 men, respectively. [illegible] ed a prominent part in [illegible] ries were Cleapor and [illegible]dler for the Sandfiddlers, and Lewis [illegible]d Davis for the Crabs.

LARGE IMPROVEMENTS MADE

Wilmington Compress & Warehouse Company Has Added New Warehouse and Other Facilities —New Modern Plant

In preparation for the coming cotton season and the ever increasing flood of business that is pouring into the port of Wilmington each year, the Wilmington Compress and Warehouse Company is completing improvements at its extensive plant at the foot of Harnett street that will double its compressing capacity and more than double its large warehouse facilities, the total amount expended in perfecting these improvements representing an enormous sum.

The improvements which have been added to the plant since last June include one large warehouse and two additional warehouse sheds, the remodeling of the old warehouse and compress building, the addition of new office building, the installation of an additional compress, a new boiler room and the addition of two large electric operated hoistering machines whereby the largest vessels visiting this port can be loaded or unloaded with all speed and dispatch in the most modern and economical manner. In its entirety the plant is now a model one, complete in every detail, and one that Wilmington may well point to with pride.

Work on the improvements was started last June and is just now being completed. The large new warehouse has been completed some time and is now in use. The Elliott Building Company, of Hickory, N. C., had the contract for erecting this building, Mr. Henry Elliott, of Hickory, had the contract individually for remodeling the former warehouse building, which work is now in its last stages. This included the building of additional warehouse sheds, which may be used as warehouses, at each end of the building, and also raising the entire floor of the building so as to be on a level with the doors of the cars on the company's sidetracks

The new warehouse is constructed so as to be used for chemicals and fertilizer materials, as well as cotton, the idea being to use it for storing cotton during the cotton season and for chemicals and fertilizer materials during the remainder of the year. It has a capacity of from 60,000 to 70,000 tons of fertilizer materials. There is also a compartment for storing farm machinery, and this is and has been in constant demand since the building was completed. The company stores farm implements and agricultural machinery here for three different large manufacturing concerns and almost every imaginable piece of farm machinery can be found there. There are mowers, planters, plows, disc harrows, seeders, gas engines, cultivators and, in fact, almost every modern implement of agriculture made. This one compartment has been the means of making Wilmington an important distributing point for such machinery. Before the warehouse was built very few implements were distributed through Wilmington because of the lack of storage facilities. Now thousands of dollars worth of machinery is being brought into this port and distributed throughout the adjoining sections.

A large quantity of fertilizer material is stored in the building at present, though this is kept on the move largely. A large cargo is expected in the next few days. The new warehouse is electric lighted and work can be rushed day and night during the busy seasons. Two large towers fitted with electric hoists, are located on the splendid wharf in front of the warehouses, so that vessels can be unloaded speedily. One tower is stationary and the other is movable, so that it can be adjusted to the hatch of a vessel. When a steamer makes fast at the wharf to unload, it is moored so that one hatch is under the stationary hoist and the other tower is moved up to the point over the other hatch. From the vessels the material is hoisted overhead to the tramway, where it is unloaded on carts and transferred to the desired part of the building on the tracks that extend all over the plant. Or if it is bulk material it can be unloaded in a large hopper and follows a chute to the lower floor, where it is stored or unloaded on cars as desired.

At the northern and southern ends of the plant are the Seaboard Air Line track, while two tracks of the Atlantic Coast Line run through the plant between the two large warehouses. All floors are on a level with the car doors rendering the unloading and loading of cars much easier and more economical than if the goods had to be raised or lowered.

The new compress which has just been installed was built by the Reading Iron Company, of Reading, Penn., under the patents of the Webb Compress Company, of Mineen, La. It was constructed and installed in about 27 days. The Webb press is of the steam type and has a capacity of 1,000 bales a day. There are two hydraulic compresses in the building, but only one of these will be operated at present. It has a capacity of 1,000 bales a day also, giving the plant with the two presses a capacity of 2,000 bales of cotton a day.

The Wilmington Compress & Warehouse Company is thoroughly alive to the future prospects for the development of Wilmington and it is with an idea of being prepared for the expanded business that is sure to come that they are spending such large sums on improvements. Mr. W. H. Sprunt is president of the company and Mr. Walter Smallbones is general manager, as well as secretary and treasurer, having filled that position with conspicuous ability since 1892. The progressive policy of the company makes it a live factor in the development of Wilmington and the growth of its business is a matter of gratification to all who are interested in the prosperity of the port.

In connection with the improvements that are being completed at the Wilmington Compress & Warehouse Company's plant, it is of interest to note that with the money spent here and the sums expended by the Seaboard and Atlantic Coast Line railroads on their terminal facilities in the same part of the city, the total expenditure on terminal facilities in less than a year is placed at over $200,000. This figure is the amount named in the recommendation of the board of engineers for rivers and harbors to Congress, that the Cape Fear river below Wilmington be improved so as to give a channel 26 feet deep and 300 feet wide at low water, widening to 400 feet at the bar, between Wilmington and the ocean, subject to the condition that the local authorities expend the sum of $200,000 for terminal facilities.

While the recommendation specified that the local authorities expend the $200,000, it is not thought that this is to be construed literally. The Senate has amended the House bill for rivers and harbors by providing an appropriation of $300,000 for starting work on the Cape Fear between Wilmington and the ocean, and the bill has been referred back to the House. It is assumed that it will pass. Major H. W. Stickle, the engineer in charge here, appeared before the Senate Committee on Rivers and Harbors and reported that at least $200,000 had been spent on terminal facilities since the recommendation of the board.

It is gratifying to know that the two railroads and the Wilmington Compress & Warehouse Company have expended at least $200,000 or more in providing and improving terminal facilities, as it attests the confidence that the business interests have in the future of the city and port, and it is confidentially expected that the appropriation for beginning the work on the channel will be forthcoming at an early date.

NEW MEMBERS OF CHAMBER.

Membership Committee Very Active. Applications Accepted.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon, the first report of the membership committee in the campaign now under way was received and the nine applications were favorably passed upon.

Those elected to membership yesterday were as follows: People's Supply Co., Geo. O. Gaylord, Mr. L. W. Moore, Mr. L. J. Carter, W. J. Kirkham & Co., L. Clayton Grant, Esq., Mr. W. N. Harriss, and Mr. J. A. McGeachy. The first four mentioned were accepted in Class B, and the latter five in Class C.

B. Y. P. U. Meets Friday.

On account of changing the hour of the First Baptist Sunday School from 4:30 P. M. to 10 A. M., the B. Y. P. U. has changed the time of meetings to Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the lecture room of the church. Dr. Dilworth will address the Union this evening. His subject will be "Prayer." Mr. Frank McCravy will sing, "I Want to Go There, Don't You?" A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend this service.

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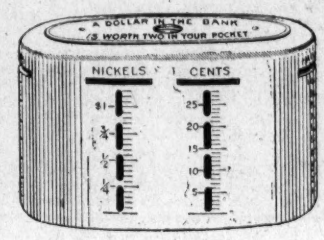

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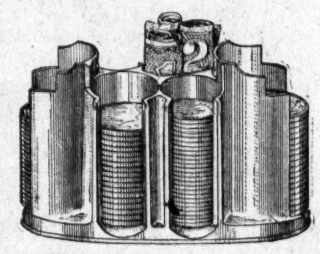

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. R. E. Applewhite is visiting her son, Mr. M. Bart Applewhite, at Newberlin, N. C.

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Mrs. T. A. Wortham has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. N. Gillis, in Alabama.

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Miss Iver Ellis, of Durham, is a guest at the some of Mr. Oscar Ellis, on South Sixth street.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Mrs. C. B. Rehder, of Wilmington, spent yesterday in the city."

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Mrs. W. F. King has returned home after a pleasant visit to relatives and friends at Magnolia and Clinton, N. C.

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Mr. Henry M. Pyle and two sons have returned from a visit to his mother at his old home in Pemgrove, N. J.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow and Miss Blanch Freeman, of Hamlet, are in the city as guests of Mrs. June Hudler, 221 South Sixth street.

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Capt. J. I. Everett, agent at Maxton for Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Emily McLaurin, are visitors for a few days at the homes of Mrs. H. Allen Huggins and Mrs. James A. Northam.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Graham, of Dillon, S. C., returned home yesterday after having spent a month at Wrightsville Beach, on account of the health of their little son, Henry Clawson Graham. Their friends will rejoice to know that the little fellow was greatly improved.

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Councilman Parker Quince Moore, in charge of the Department of Streets, accompanied by Mrs. Moore and little daughter, Miss May Latta Moore, left Wednesday night for Richmond, where they will visit relatives. Mr. Moore will return home by the first of next week, but his family will visit there for some time.

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Of interest to friends in this city will come the announcement made last Monday night in Winston-Salem of the engagement of Miss Ruth W. Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Adams, of that place, and Mr. W. H. French, of Wilmington. The announcement was made at a party given in honor of the birthday of Miss Ruby Adams, a sister of the bride-to-be. The wedding will take place early in November.

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Friends in the State have received handsomely engraved cards bearing the following announcement:

Mrs. Sarah Frances Stokes
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A PRETTY MARRIAGE OF POPULAR COUPLE

The marriage last evening of Miss Fannie Pearl Branch, daughter of Mrs. Dora Branch, and Mr. B. Frank Brittain, Jr., solemnized at the First Presbyterian manse, No. 315 Orange street, will be learned of with much interest by the many friends of the popular couple in the city. Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated.

The couple were accompanied to the manse by a number of close friends, who witnessed the ceremony and extended them the happiest felicitations. There were no attendants.

Mr. Brittain is a popular and progressive young man, who has been connected with the insurance office of Col. Walker Taylor for a number of years. He has a large number of friends in the city. The bride is an attractive and popular young lady and the event will be of much interest to the many acquaintances of the couple.

CHICAGO LADIES' ORCHESTRA.

Will be One of Features of the Brotherhood Star Course.

This attraction of the Brotherhood Star Course of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church is in keeping with the other six numbers of the series. This orchestra is backed with the highest kind of recommendations. It consists of nine people.

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It is safe to say that no stronger course has been arranged for than this one of seven premier attractions, now being projected by the Brotherhood of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, anywhere in the United States in a city of the size of Wilmington. And the season tickets are being subscribed for rapidly, and when the limit of the Memorial Building is reached, no more will be offered for sale. All details of the course may be had from Mr. D. L. Latta, care of Alexander Sprunt & Son.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Pat H. Williams, of Charlotte, was a guest at The Orton last night.

—Mr. George A. Holderness, of Tarboro, was here yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

—Frank Thompson, Esq., of Onslow, was among yesterday's guests at The Orton.

—Mr. J. Holmes Davis is in New York on a business trip and is a guest at the Hotel Woodstock.

—Mr. W. W. Peterson, of Atkinson, is in the city spending some time, the guest of his son, W. W. Peterson, Jr.

—Messrs. John L. Gilmer, of Greensboro, and H. L. Myrover, of Fayetteville, were guests at The Orton last evening.

—Mr. W. Rosemann is at home on his vacation. He is a student at St. Joseph's College, Baltimore, and will return there in the Fall.

—Mr. F. P. Flynn and little son, Benjamin Schley Flynn, and Mr. T. O. Flynn, of Currie, N. C., were among last evening's arrivals in the city and will spend today here on business.

—Among yesterday's registrations at the Colonial Hotel were Jas. B. Thorp, Greensboro; Miss Carrie Wootten, Kinston; ex-Solicitor Rodolph Duffy, Catherine Lake; U. L. Barrett, Charlotte.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were E. G. Mercer, Bolivia; G. W. Stevens, Council; John N. Hoff, Charlotte; R. S. Busbee, Raleigh; W. G. Hunter, B. J. Smith, A. L. DeRosset, Charlotte; T. G. Lane, Charlotte.

—The guests at the Southern Hotel yesterday were: J. W. Ames, Norfolk, Va.; Miss Nola Murphy, Barium Springs, N. C.; W. F. Alexander, Fayetteville; W. H. Dennis, Town Creek; C. H. Zibelin, Currie; H. McD. Weeks, Raleigh; F. B. Thrower, Red Springs; E. Sellers, Atkinson; J. H. Howard, Portsmouth, Va.; M. H. Pridgen, Currie; Fred. E. Weaver, Greensboro, and M. D. Muse, Hamlet.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The A. & Y. train from Fayetteville was again late last night and did not reach the city until 10 o'clock. A disabled engine is reported to have been the cause of the delay.

—By deed filed for record Geo. O. Gaylord to Rachel E. Brown, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on west side of Third, 228 1-2 feet south of Orange street, 38x118 1-2 feet in size.

—Charged with putting out poison to kill her neighbors' chickens, Mary Boone, colored, was arrested last night, but gave bond for her appearance at trial this morning before the Recorder. She lives on 10th, between Red Cross and Campbell streets. The warrant was sworn out by Jas. Banks, colored.

—Report was made to the police yesterday morning that a white child was left at the home of Joe Shepard, on 13th, between Market and Princess streets, Wednesday night. It was said that Chief Fowler expected to make an investigation, but nothing was known of the affair at the hall last night.

—A number stood the examinations given by Prof. Washington Catlett, county superintendent of education, for teachers in the white schools of the county, at the Court House yesterday. The examinations were in progress throughout the day. Examination of teachers for the colored schools of the county will be held in Prof. Catlett's office today.

..Theatrical..

Every day now is a feature day at the Grand Theatre and patrons of that popular place of amusement are becoming more and more enthusiastic over its pleasures and its delights. The best of the "moveys" are always on the bill, the orchestra is all that could be desired and the general atmosphere of the house could not be improved upon.

The two leading films today will be the first presentation of an Essanay, "The Butterfly Net", a charming Summer idyl, captivating in plot and deliciously portrayed—a production de luxe, with Beverly Bayne and Francis X. Bushman in splendid roles. There will be also a Pathe, "The Wooing of White Fawn." a beautiful Indian story redolent if the West. These two would be all that would be required to furnish all the amusement one could wish, but there will be still a third picture, equally as good, only not featured. Patrons of the Grand will always be welcomed and are assured of the very best that is offered in popular-priced amusement in this or any other city.

At the Bijou.

Many folks yesterday found a safe, a cozy retreat from the disagreeable weather and a way of banishing the drear feeling, generally accompanying misbehaving elements, by going to the New Bijou. There yesterday everything was, of course, bright and gay, and it will be the same today, tomorrow, the next day, and so on, because the New Bijou, with its handsome interior, comfortable, refreshing system of cooling and ventilating, and its daily new bill, meets all kinds of weather and pleases all tastes.

Today's bill is going to be a corker. It is alive with bright comedy films, and stirring with fine dramatic moving pictures. It also includes another great educational photoplay in "Picturesque Scenes in Padua.' This film unfolds not only information, but superb, artistic pleasure for the eye. It shows the Ragione Palace, St. Anthony church, the banks of the river Bacchiglione and other interesting scenes.

"The Back Window" is a sweet and tender film on today's programme, and it carries a beautiful moral. What is home without a child? That is vividly demonstrated by this film, and it carries with it a world of tenderness.

"The Trifler" is another star for today. It is humorous, and of high-class nature. It tells of a girl who thinks she loves one fellow, but really loves another and the "slick" ruse the latter works so that all may end well. The other films for today are also of the first water type, and should be seen.

"The Butterfly Net."

A charming Summer idyl, captivating in plot and deliciously portrayed at the Grand Theatre today. **

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Misses Tillie Einstein, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Sophie Einstein, of Goldsboro, are the guests of Mrs. Simon Einstein at the Hanover Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Bunting and Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bunting, of Wilmington, formed a pleasant dinner party at the Hanover Inn last night.

Mr. Paul Johnson, of Atlanta, Ga., and party of about 20 went outside sailing yesterday in the yacht Edwin, Capt. Salter. The trip was a most delightful one.

Mr. J. J. Phoenix and a party of friends from Greensboro and other points, had splendid luck yesterday on a fishing trip in the schooner Nellie May, owned by Mr. G. R. Davis.

Mr. D. N. Murchison and bride, of Charlotte, arrived at the beach yesterday for a brief sojourn. They have many friends in the city and at Wrightsville, who will be pleased to greet them.

After a visit to Morehead City on the launch Suannan, Capt. Wells, Messrs. M. C. Cannon and W. H. Gibson, of Concord, returned to the Seashore Hotel yesterday. They reported a very pleasant trip.

Judge Henry Graves Connor, of the United States Court, and Mrs. Connor, are guests at the Seashore Hotel and are being greeted by many friends. While here Judge Connor will hear several matters in chambers in Wilmington.

Mrs. Hartsfield, of Newbern, entertained quite a large party of friends at a watermelon party at the Seashore Hotel Wednesday evening. Several pleasing features were arranged and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed. The party was served under the direction of Mr. A. Apter, the chef at the Seashore Hotel.

A pretty and pleasing souvenir dance was given last evening by the Tidewater Power Company, complimentary to the delegates in attendance upon the Pi Kappa Phi convention now in session at the Hanover Inn. Souvenirs appropriate to the occasion were presented to the dancers and there was a large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Empie, who have been spending several weeks at Mrs. Annie J. Northrop's cottage, have returned to their home in the city. Mrs. Empie and Miss Carrie K. Myers will leave tomorrow for New York and from there will sail for Europe, where they will spend several months.

Arrivals at the Hanover Inn yesterday included the following: Mrs. A. Einstein, Goldsboro; A. T. Parmele, Lumberton; Misses Sadie Hewitt, of Marion, S. C., and Ruth Efird, of Lexington, S. C.; Archie Glover, Fayetteville; Miss R. Duan, Misses Covington and Thomas, Laurinburg, and J. T. McKinnon, Maxton.

A transformer stationed near the Seashore Hotel burned out early yesterday morning and as the result supper was served to most of the guests at the hotel by candle light, electricians of the Tidewater Power Co. beginning work of repairing the damage about the supper hour. Lights were out for a short period at the other hotels and cottages on the beach also while the work was being done.

Yesterday's arrivals at the Oceanic Hotel included the following: Mrs. R. M. Williams and S. D. McRae, Maxton; Mrs. S. P. Stringfellow, Miss Majorie Stringfellow, Miss Annie Stringfellow, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis, Atlanta; S. P. Tinsley, Spartanburg, S. C.; B. T. Swiggert and W. H. Berndrick, Columbia, S. C.; Mrs. P. Prince, Florence; W. G. Thomas, Charlotte; C. S. Williams, Augusta, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Livingston, Sofferhall, Tenn.

The Oceanic Hotel will give its first regular morning dance tomorrow morning from 10 to 12 o'clock. Music will be furnished by the splendid Oceanic Orchestra and all the young people on the beach are cordially invited to attend as well as the guests of the hotel. Dances will be given every morning hereafter during the entire season. On Wednesday mornings a souvenir dance for children will be given. The first of these was given last week and proved a great success.

Several hundred people are expected to arrive today from Atlanta to spend some time at the beach. Each of the hotels and cottages are expecting to receive a large number. It was stated at the Oceanic that reservations had been made for about 50, while at the Seashore it was said that the arrivals would most likely fill the building. In addition to the Atlanta party the usual number of week-end guests from different parts of this State and South Carolina will begin to arrive today.

Mr. T. A. Green, of Spartanburg, S. C., who is interested in the hotel it is proposed to erect at Front and Walnut streets, is a guest for a few days at the Oceanic Hotel. Messrs. W. C. Petty, of Charlotte, and J. P. Sanders, of Greensboro, who are also interested in the project, are at the Seashore Hotel, where they have been for several days. They will hold a conference in a few days at which they will formulate plans for the proposed new $200,000 commercial hotel for Wilmington.

Among those arriving at the Seashore Hotel yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Talmage Long, Mrs. J. D. Morris, Mrs. S. de Veauning and two children, Mrs. A. M. Burns and child, all of Roxboro; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Comas, Wilson; John A. Norman and family, Smithfield; W. F. Barnwell, Baltimore; J. L. Vinn, Harrisburg; G. J. Miller, Rocky Mount; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, Charlotte; Edward S. Alberts, Knoxville, Tenn.; Miss Bessie McLeod, Alma; Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Murchison, Charlotte; Miss Mary L. Sanford, Laurinburg; Geo. Forrester, Atlanta; Mrs. Haskins Williams and Emily Williams, Birmingham; Mrs. John M. Knight, Mary Knight, Marion Knight, Sumter; Mrs. Jennie D. Carroll, Charleston; Mrs. Robert DeLome, Sumter.

Read Star Business Locals.

CLOSE WITH SOUVENIR DANCE

Most Successful Convention of Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity Terminated Yesterday—Two Business Sessions Held.

Concluding one of the most successful gatherings ever held by the well known fraternity, the fifth convention of Pi Kappa Phi, which has been in session at Hanover Inn, Wrightsville Beach, since Tuesday, was a souvenir dance given by the Tidewater Power Co., at Lumina last night, complimentary to the visitors. The dance came as a climax to a busy day as well as making the close of a thoroughly enjoyable and profitable convention. There were about 25 or 30 young men in attendance and they were representative of the manhood of the communities from which they came. The many friends they made at Wrightsville Beach will welcome their return at any time they see fit to visit the beach again

Yesterday morning the business session was opened at 10 o'clock with Mr. John D. Carroll, of Columbia, Grand Secretary, presiding. He is one of the most popular members of the fraternity. While a great many matters were discussed and acted upon, there were none of any general interest. Mr. Carroll was called to the city during the day and the afternoon session was presided over by Mr. W. H. Monckton, of Columbia, S. C. The session adjourned at 4 o'clock and the young men, accompanied by several young lady friens went for a trip outside in the launch Atlantic, returning to the hotel about 6:30 P. M. The trip was a most enjoyable for all except two ladies, who experienced the unpleasantness of seasickness, but were able to attend the hop last evening.

In the party were the following young ladies: Miss Sadie Hewitt, of Marion, S. C.; Miss Ruth Efird, of Lexington, S. C.; Miss Julia Alexander, Spartanburg, S. C.; Miss Lidia McAlister, Greenville, S. C.; Miss Mamie Jones, Marion, S. C.; and the Misses Grant, Wrightsville Beach.

The dance last night was not only well attended by members of the fraternity, but by young people generally on the beach and from the city.

The matter of next meeting place was left to the executive committee. Next year the regular bi-ennial session of the fraternity will be held, the meeting this year being a special one. The one next year will be more largely attended and will be of greater importance to the fraternity. There is a strong probability that Wrightsville Beach will be selected as the place of meeting, so well pleased are the young men with the resort, the people and hotel service. The 1915 convention will go to San Francisco, this having already been decided.

The young men will begin leaving today for their homes. The officers of the fraternity are as follows: Grand President, L. Harry Mixon, Charleston, S. C.; Grand Vice President, H. P. Wagener, Charleston; Grand Secretary, J. D. Carroll, Columbia; Grand Treasurer, H. L. Long, Fowler, Cal.; Grand Historian, Simon Fogarty, Jr., Charleston; Grand Journalist, Chas. K. Dillingham, Newark, N. J.; Grand Chaplain, C. E. Byrd, Hartsville, S. C.; Grand Custodian, Gus. E. Reid, Rock Hill, S. C.

CASE TO JURY TODAY.

Argument in Allen Trial Will be Concluded by Noon.

Wytheville, Va., July 11.—When court, engaged in the trial of Claude Allen for participation in the Hillsville court house tragedy of last March, adjourned for the day, four attorneys—two for the defense and two for the prosecution—had completed their arguments before the jury. The greater part of the morning session was taken up with the consideration of the instructions by the court and counsel for both sides, and the reading of the same to the jury.

Four more attorneys are yet to address the jury. They are expected to complete their arguments by noon tomorrow or shortly afterwards, when the case will go to the jury.

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COL. R. W. SIMPSON DEAD.

Was President of Clemson College Board of Trustees.

Atlanta, Ga., July 11.—Colonel Richard W. Simpson, for more than 20 years president of the board of trstees of Clemson College, South Carolina, died here today, after a prolonged illness. He was 72 years old.

Col. Simpson was the private attorney of the late Thomas G. Clemson, and was made executor of the latter's estate when Mr. Clemson died.

Mr. Clemson's will provided for a large bequest to be used in founding an agricultural and mechanical college, in South Carolina. Colonel Simpson was instrumental in the establisnment of Clemson College, with which he was associated for many years. He resigned from the presidency of the board of trustees recently because of ill health. R. W. Simpson, Jr., associate editor of the Richmond, Va., Times-Dispatch, is a son of the deceased. The funeral will be held at Pendleton, S. C., tomorrow.

Father of Bright Young Twins.

Friends of Rev. Isaac W. King, pastor of the Advent Christian Church, who lives on Fifth, between Queen and Wooster streets, have been congratulating him upon the arrival at his homes Wednesday of a pair of healthy and bright-eyed twins. Mr. King has passed his 74th birthday.

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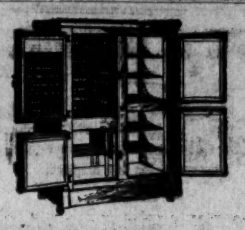

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Separate proposals wanted for Plumbing, Electric Wiring, Plunger Elevator, Cork Insulation, Refrigeration, etc.

An acceptable bond will be required of successful bidders. Plans and Specifications may be had at the office of J. F. Leitner, architect, Wilmington, N. C.

The right is reserved to accept any or reject all bids.

WM. E. SPRINGER,
Chairman Building Committee.
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Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company Office of the Treasurer.

Wilmington, N. C., June 28, 1912.

The Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared a dividend of three and one-half per cent. on the Common Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, North Carolina, on and after July 10th, 1912, to stockholders of record on June 19th, 1912. The transfer books are closed from the 19th day of June, 1912, to the 11th day of July, 1912, both inclusive.

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COTTON BUYING LESS ACTIVE

Opening Was Firm at 8 to 11 Points Advance But a Reaction Set In And Close Was Steady 3 Points Lower

New York, July 11.—Operations in the cotton market were on a less active scale today, with a noticeable absence of outside interest. The opening was firm, at 8 to 11 points advance, and shortly afterwards the market reached highest figures of the day, or 10 to 13 points above the previous close. From this there was a gradual reaction of 14 to 20 points, followed by partial recoveries in the late afternoon, the close being steady, 3 points net lower to 2 points higher. At no time during the session was there any appearance of actual weakness in the market. Such reactions as occurred were mostly the result of profit-taking by commission houses and a little short selling by room traders. So long as weather conditions remain uncertain and the spot situation strong, with the big short interest still believed to exist in the market, there is not much disposition among the trade to operate extensively on the bear side. Complaints about crop conditions were quite numerous from various sections of the Eastern belt as well as Texas, and there was still too much rain in Alabama, Georgia and the Carolinas, to justify any optimistic views on the crop. Boll weevils were said to be doing serious damage in parts of Southwest Texas, as well as in Alabama and Mississippi. A large inquiry was reported for new crop cotton today for September-October shipment to Europe. Spot markets were generally unchanged to ¼c higher.

Receipts, 2,052 bales, against 2,044 last week, and 238 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 994, against none last year; at Houston, 381, against 96 last year, and at Galveston 412, against 223 last year.

Spot, quiet; middling uplands, 12.40; middling gulf, 12.65; sales, 505 bales.

Futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	12.30	12.32	12.19	12.23
Feb				12.20
Mar	12.40	12.41	12.28	12.32
May	12.46	12.46	12.38	12.38
July	12.01	12.02	11.90	11.94
Aug	12.06	12.07	11.93	11.97
Sept	12.17	12.08	12.03	12.06
Oct	12.29	12.32	12.12	12.17
Nov	12.30	12.31	12.15	12.22
Dec	12.36	12.37	12.20	12.26

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 12⅝; net receipts, 412; gross receipts, 412; sales, 24; stock, 32,911; coastwise, 2,403.

New Orleans—Firm, 12⅞; net receipts, 994; gross receipts, 1,044; sales, 36; stock, 43,177; coastwise, 71.

Mobile—Net receipts, 51; gross receipts, 51; stock, 1,204; coastwise, 164.

Savannah—Steady, 12; net receipts, 129; gross receipts, 129; stock, 34,306.

Charleston—Nominal, 11½; stock, 8,750. coastwise, 490.

Norfolk—Steady, 13; net receipts, 447; gross receipts, 527; sales, 258; stock, 22,635; coastwise, 374.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13; stock, 5,924.

New York—Quiet, 1,240; gross receipts, 237; sales, 395; stock, 139,833; Great Britain, 498.

Boston—Quiet, 12.40; net receipts, 7; gross receipts, 156; stock, 13,400.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.65; stock, 2,853.

Port Townsend—Net receipts, 12; gross receipts, 12; Japan, 12.

Total today at all ports—Net, 2,052; Great Britain, 498; Japan, 12; stock, 305,480.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 8,972; Great Britain, 4,612; France, 2,155; continent, 18,833; Japan, 12; Mexico, 150.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 11,812,438; Great Britain, 4,124,133; France, 1,160,725; continent, 4,400,924; Japan, 512,196; Mexico, 8,913.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12 11-16; net receipts, 381; gross receipts, 381; shipments, 1,021; stock, 25,257.

Augusta—Quiet, 13; net receipts, 30; gross receipts, 30; shipments, 807; sales, 363; stock, 27,019.

Memphis—Steady, 12⅝; net receipts, 26; gross receipts, 326; shipments, 1,121; sales 175; stock, 17,688.

St. Louis—Steady, 12⅝; gross receipts, 377; shipments, 1,368; stock, 10,270.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 150; gross receipts, 150; shipments, 136; stock, 19,491.

Little Rock—Quiet, 12⅛; shipments, 48; stock, 8,799.

Total today—Net receipts, 596; gross receipts, 1,273; shipments, 4,501; sales, 538; stock, 108,524.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, July 11.—Hints that rust had appeared in the Northwest today unsettled the price of wheat, but the reports were too few and vague for a genuine scare. The close was nervous and ⅛@¼ to ½c. under last night. Corn at the finish ranged from ¼c. off to ¾c. advance; oats, down ¼@⅝ to ⅝, and provisions unchanged to a decline of 10 cents.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.04½@1.03¾; No. 2, hard, 1.04½@1.06½. Corn, No. 3, 72@72¾; No. 2, yellow, 72¼@73¼. Oats, No. 3, 47¼@48½.

Wheat:	Close.
July	104
Sept	100⅝
Dec	102
Corn:	
July	73¼
Sept	68⅞
May	59½
Oats:	
July	42½
Sept	35½
Dec	36⅜
May	38⅝
Pork:	
Sept	18.40
July	18.15
Oct	18.45
Lard:	
July	10.60
Sept	10.80
Oct	10.85
Ribs:	
July	10.45
Sept	10.60
Oct	10.57½

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, July 11.—Spot, good business done; prices, 14 points higher. American middling fair, 7.81; good middling, 7.43; middling, 7.09; low middling, 6.79; good ordinary, 6.37; ordinary, 5.89.

Sales, 14,000 bales, including 12,800 American. Receipts, 9,000 bales, including 2,600 American. Futures opened quiet and closed easy. July, 6.85½; July and August, 6.85; August and September, 6.80½; September and October, 6.71½; October and November, 6.65½; November and December, 6.62; December and January, 6.61½; January and February, 6.61; February and March, 6.61½; March and April, 6.62; April and May, 6.63; May and June, 6.63½.

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Cleared.

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List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Ormesby (Br.), 1,828 tons, Hansen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Schr. Wm. Thomas Moore, 263 tons, Jones, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. M. J. Taylor (Br.), 377 tons, Dukeshire, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. Stephen G. Loud, 400 tons, Graham, Mafflitt & Wood; in distress.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., July 11.

Atlantic Coast Line—4 casks spirits turpentine; 11 barrels rosin; 16 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Addie May—13 casks spirits turpentine; 62 barrels rosin.

Schr. Leo.—11 casks spirits turpentine; 41 barrels rosin.

Schr. Shallotte—16 casks sprits turpentine; 58 barrels rosin.

Total—44 casks spirits turpentine; 172 barrels rosin; 16 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, July 11.—Flour, quiet and about steady.

Rye Flour—Easy.

Corn Meal—Quiet.

Rye—Nominal.

Barley—Quiet.

Wheat—Spot, irregular; No. 2, red, 1.13½ @1.15½, elevator, domestic basis to arrive, and export, 1.15½, f.o.b. afloat to arrive; futures, 1-16 lower to ¼ higher; July, 1.13⅜; September, 1.05 15-16; December, 1.07½.

Corn—Spot, firm; export, 82¾ f.o.b. afloat.

Oats—Spot, firm; standard white, 53½@54, in elevator; No. 2, 54@54½.

Pork—Steady.

Beef—Steady.

Cut Meats—Quiet.

Lard—Steady.

Tallow—Quiet.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, steady.

Cheese—Irregular.

Butter—Steady and unchanged.

Eggs—Irregular.

Coffee—Rio, No. 7, 14½. Futures closed quiet. July, 13.14; October, 13.36; December, 13.49.

Freights—Steady, unchanged.

Peanuts—Steady, unchanged.

Potatoes—Steady, unchanged.

Cabbages—Steady, unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Moderately active, with prices lower, under scattered selling by local profesionals and continued dullness in consuming lines. Futures closed 3@5 points net lower. Sales, 14,900 barrels. July, 6.79@7.81; August, 6.81@6.82; September, 6.94@6.95; October, 6.82@6.84; November, 6.35@6.36. Prime crude, nominal; do. Summer yellow, 6.75@6.95; do. Winter yellow, 6.80@7.50; do. Summer white, 7.00 @7.50.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 11.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 42¾.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.85 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.75 for dip; $4.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 49¾; rosin, $5.00; tar, $2.20; crude turpentine, $3.25 for hard, $4.75 for dip, $5.00 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine.. 44

Rosin 172

Tar 16

Crude Turpentine 3

Receipts same day last year, 44 casks spirits turpentine; 98 barrels rosin; 20 barrels tar; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nothing doing.

Receipts—4 bales. Same day last year, none.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 11.)

CORN—Firm; $1.10 per bu.

PEAS—White, no sales. Mixed, $1.00.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 75c. per bu.

BEEF—On foot, good demand, 3@4c. per lb.; dressed, 8c.

PORK—Small, 10@11c.

WOOL—Burry, .11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, 16c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 to .08½ per lb.; dry, 14 to 15c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old 16½c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12½c.@ 13c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; 27 per lb

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 40 to 45c. per head; chickens, Spring, 20@35c. per head.

SHEEP—Old, $1.00@$2.50; lambs, $1.00 @$3.00.

EGGS—Dull, 19c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, July 8.

Market—Steady.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, 70@75c.; machine-picked, 65@ 70c.

Spanish—Prime hand picked, $1.00; machine picked, 95c.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine picked, 80c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., June 27.—Spanish—Market firmer. Farmers' Spanish, 92½c. per bushel. Jumbo Spanish, 87½c. per bushel; No. 1, Shelled, Spanish, 5c. to 5¼c. per lb.; No. 2, Shelled, Spanish, 3¾c. to 4c. per lb.

Virginia—Market, firm. Fancy Jumbo, 4c. per lb. Fancy Hand-Picked, 3½c. to 3¾c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3¼c Prime, 3c. Machine Picked, 3c. to 3¼c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 2½c. per lb.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 11.—Money on call, firmer, at 3¼@3½ per cent.; ruling rate, 3¼. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 3¼@3¼ per cent.; six months, 4¼@4". Prime mercantile paper, 4¼@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange, easy, at 4.8475 for sixty-day bills, and 4.8735 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.84.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 11.—The cotton goods markets are strong, with advances of ⅛c. a yard in denims, and ⅛c. in wide print cloths. Trading is of moderate proportions. Yarns are steady, but quiet. Jobbers are buying carefully for Fall. Prints are very firm.

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LIGHT TRADING IN STOCKS

The Day's Business Was Characterized by Alternate Declines and Rallies—Prospects of a Money Stringency—Rates

New York, July 11.—Trading in stocks today were characterized by alternate declines and rallies, with more or less hesitation at the end. Business was light except in the first hour, when prospects of a money stringency were apparent. Call loans later went to 3½ per cent, and induced some liquidation, with a liberal admixture of short selling.

Sentiment amongst traders was largely bearish, this attitude being based in part on monetary uncertainties and the apparent lack of buying power in the market. There is also a general belief that the so-called big speculative interests have abandoned the market to its own devices, until political conditions become more clearly defined.

The day's general news was cheerful, embracing additional encouraging crop advices from the Northwest, dispatches from the leading steel centers announcing that no cessation is shown in orders and statements from railroad officials in the Far West pointing to the probability of a car famine because of the increasingly heavy tonnage.

Bonds were lower, with total sales par value, $2,606,000. United States government bonds were unchanged. Total sales, 434,900 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	21½
Amalgamated Copper	80⅛
American Agricultural	59
American Beet Sugar	72¼
American Can	35⅜
American Car and Foundry	56⅞
American Cotton Oil	52
American Hide and Leather, pfd	24¾
American Ice Securities	24½
American Linseed	13
American Locomotive	41
American Smelting and Refining	81⅝
Amer. Smelting and Refining, pfd	107¼
American Steel Foundries	35½
American Sugar Refining	127½
American Tel and Tel	144⅝
American Tobacco, pfd	109
American Woolen	26
Anaconda Mining Co	40¼
Atchison	107⅝
Atchison, pfd	102½
Atlantic Coast Line	139
Baltimore and Ohio	107½
Bethlehem Steel	34⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	91⅛
Canadian Pacific	263½
Central Leather	24⅝
Central Leather, pfd	92
Central of New Jersey	395
Chesapeake and Ohio	78
Chicago and Alton	24
Chicago Great Western	16⅜
Chicago Great Western, pfd	32¾
Chicago and North Western	136½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	102¾
C., C., C. and St. Louis	59
Colorado Fuel and Iron	29
Colorado and Southern	41
Consolidated Gas	142⅝
Corn Products	14⅜
Delaware and Hudson	166
Denver and Rio Grande	18⅞
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	34⅝
Distillers' Securities	31½
Erie	33¼
Erie, 1st pfd	51
Erie, 2nd pfd	41½
General Electric	176
Great Northern, pfd (ex. div.)	133⅜
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	42½
Illinois Central	128⅛
Interborough-Met	10¼
Interborough-Met., pfd	57¾
Inter-Harvester	117
Inter Marine, pfd	16
International Paper	15
International Pump	25½
Iown Central	13
Kansas City Southern	24½
Kansas City Southern, pfd	58½
Laclede Gas	105½
Louisville and Nashville	158
Minneapolis and St. Louis	18
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	146⅜
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	26⅜
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	50½
Missouri Pacific	36
National Biscuit	150½
National Lead	56⅜
Nat Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	30⅝
New York Central	114¼
New York, Ontario and Western	32¾
Norfolk and Western	115⅞
North American	82¾
Northern Pacific	118⅜
Pacific Mail	31
Pennsylvania	123½
People's Gas	115⅛
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	107⅝
Pittsburg Coal	20⅞
Pressed Steel Car	34½
Pullman Palace Car	160
Railway Steel Spring	33⅜
Reading	161¼
Republic Steel	25½
Republic Steel, pfd	83
Rock Island Co	24
Rock Island Co., pfd	49
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	36¼
St. Louis Southwestern	30⅝
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	73
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	53½
Southern Pacific	108½
Southern Railway	28½
Southern Railway, pfd	76¼
Tennessee Copper	43¾
Texas and aPcific	22
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	13¾
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	29
Union Pacific	165⅝
Union Pacific, pfd	90
United States Realty	81
United States Rubber	50½
United States Steel	67⅛
United States Steel, pfd	110⅜
Utah Copper	60¾
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	47½
Wabash	4⅛
Wabash, pfd	13½
Western Maryland	57½
Westinghouse Electric	75¼
Western Union	81½
Wheeling and Lake Erie	6
Seaboard Air Line	22⅝
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	52
American Tobacco	288

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 11.—Turpentine, steady. Rosin, quiet.

Savannah, July 11.—Turpentine, firm, 43¾@44; sales, 175; receipts, 1,141; shipments, none; stock, 41,221.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 3,035; receipts, 3,349; shipments, none; stock, 94,723. Quote: B, 6.05@6.15; D, 6.50@6.55; E, 6.70@6.80; F, 6.80@6.85; G, 6.85@6.87½; H and I, 6.85@6.90; K, 7.00@7.10; M, 7.20; N, 7.35; W G, 7.45; W W, 7.55.

Charleston, July 11.—Turpentine, firm, 43½@43¾.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: B, 6.00@6.05; D, 6.45@6.55; E, 6.62½@6.65; F, 6.82½@6.85; G, 6.82½@6.87½; H, 6.85@6.87½; I, 6.85@6.90; K, 7.00; M, 7.10@7.15; N, 7.30; W G, 7.45; W W, 7.55.

ROSEBORO HAPPENINGS.

Chicken Coop Raided—Sampson Superior Court—An Operation.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Roseboro, N. C., July 10.—During the shades of one night this week some one went to the home of Mr. W. E. Driver and stole all of his chickens except one old rooster. Mr. Driver missed the chickens early in the morning and phoned for bloodhounds which came on the early train, but were unable to trace the thief.

Sampson Superior Court convened Monday with Judge Frank Carter presiding.

Mrs. J. W. Underwood has returned from a hospital in Wilmington where she had an operation performed on her eyes. She is improving very fast.

J. Abner Barker and Edwin L. Gay, Esqs., are attending court at Clinton this week.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

July 12, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 76 degrees; at 8 P. M., 78 degrees; maximum, 86 degrees; minimum, 73 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, .61.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 6.4 feet and rising slowly.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers Friday and Saturday.

Port Calendar—July 12.

Sun rises	5:09 A. M.
Sun sets	7:25 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 16 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	7:39	8:20	2:43	1:30
Southport	5:19	5:58	11:34	.....
Masonboro Inlet	4:50	5:29	11:05	.....

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 11, 1912.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Temperature. Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	98	72	.0
Asheville	cloudy	82	62	.24
Atlanta	raining	84	68	.28
Augusta	raining	84	70	.06
Birmingham	cloudy	86	70	.0
Boston	cloudy	90	74	.80
Charleston	cloudy	84	74	.08
Charlotte	cloudy	84	68	.16
Chicago	clear	68	68	.0
Galveston	clear	88	78	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	86	76	.06
Memphis	pt cldy	86	68	.28
Mobile	clear	86	72	.0
Montgomery	pt cldy	88	70	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	86	72	.01
New York	cloudy	88	72	.16
Oklahoma	clear	94	74	.0
Pittsburg	cloudy	82	68	.48
Raleigh	cloudy	86	68	.06
Savannah	raining	86	72	.58
Shreveport	pt cldy	94	74	.0
St. Louis	clear	84	68	.01
Washington	pt cldy	88	72	.56

PLENTIFUL HARVESTS.

July Crop Report Promises a Bountiful Yield.

Washington, July 11.—The plentiful harvests of important crops of the country, indicated by the July crop report of the Department of Agriculture, will extend also to the minor crops to a great extent.

Conditions of all crops were materially better on July 1st than on the same date last year. The crop reporting board estimates they are 5.9 per cent. better. Comparing their condition with the average of recent years, it is somewhat lower, about 1.2 per cent. The area planted to the important crops—corn, wheat, oats, barley, potatoes, tobacco, flax, rice and cotton—is estimated at 241,153,000 acres. While this aggregate area is 1.8 per cent. less than the area of the same crops last year, it is 1.9 per cent. greater than in 1909.

The condition of various crops compared with their average condition (not normal) of recent years, was as follows: Peaches 123.9; apples 115.9; strawberries (production) 111.6; Kafir corn 108; alfalfa 107.8; hops 107.1; pears 106.4; millet 105.3; oats 105.2; grapes 105.1; broom corn 104.9; hay, all kinds 104.7; Spring wheat 104.3; lima beans 104.1; tomatoes 103.9; tobacco 103.7; barley 102.7; sorghum 102.3; cabbage 102.3; flax 102.2; cantaloupes 102; hemp 101.9; watermelons 101.9; onions 101.6; peanuts 100.6; sugar beets 100.5; cotton 99.6; potatoes 99.6; sweet potatoes 99.4; rye 98.1; timothy 98; rice 97.8; beans (dry) 97.8; clover hay 97.1; oranges 96.8; raspberries 96.5; corn 96.3; pastures 94.8; Winter wheat 91.4; lemons 91.1; blackberries 90.4; sugar cane 89.2.

Chicago, July 11.—The American Grand Circuit aeroplane race of 1,810 miles, arranged to circle the central part of the United States, with Chicago the start and finish of the contest, was called off today by the Aero Club of America, the New York organization in charge of the event. A telegram received from the Aero Club of America, by the Aero Club of Illinois explains that insufficient funds were raised.

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At the Close of Business June 14, 1912

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$3,919,045.07
U. S. Bonds (at par)	551,000.00
Bank Building	25,000.00
Bonds and other securities	121,161.11
Cash and due by banks	1,134,678.93
	$5,750,885.11

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 825,000.00
Surplus and net profits	519,548.51
Circulation	550,000.00
Special Deposits—U. S. Bonds	100,000.00
Depesits	3,606,336.60
Bills Payable	150,000.00
	$5,750,885.11

DEPOSITS:

June 14th, 1910	$3,142,739.78
June 14th, 1911	3,245,975.37
June 14th, 1912	3,606,336.60

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TEDDY TALKS OF CONVENTION

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appointed delegates, and the National committee approved that action.

"President Taft was nominated by 21 votes—or by 19, if the two from Massachusetts are omitted, which were counted only by the extraordinary ruling of Chairman Root that when a delegate answers 'present and not voting' his alternate shall be called to vote, always provided that alternate is a Taft man, and the delegate a Roosevelt man. The cases here discussed cover, in their narrowest application, 30 votes—California 2; Arizona 6; Washington 14, and Texas at large 8. The change of these 30 votes would have defeated Taft; they would have reversed all the important actions of the convention. Several of the district cases from Texas are involved in the same ruling as that which was made in the case of the delegates at large, and are quite as flagrant.

"Numerous other cases—as clearly shown by the minority of the National Committee and by the minority of the credentials committee of the convention—were just as bad. As I have said, one Louisiana case was worse. In one Indiana case the Taft delegates were elected only by first packing the credentials committee by refusing to let in Roosevelt delegates in whose cases pretended contests had been filed, and then by reversing this ruling and letting the contested Taft delegates vote on their own cases. There was no form of trick or fraud which did not find favor in the eyes of the conspirators. I have merely cited a few cases, so conspicuous that the facts cannot be truthfully disputed, and sufficient in number to show by actual figures that the nomination of Mr. Taft could not have been procured except by their inclusion. The men responsible for the theft of the delegates in question cared not one rap for the rights or wrongs of any of the cases. They were concerned only with getting the requisite number of delegates. They did steal as many as were needed; they would have stolen as many more as might have been needed.

"No free people can afford to submit to government by theft. If the will of the people is defeated by fraud, then the people do not rule. If those who are thus foisted on them represent the special interests instead of the people, then the interests and not the people rule. When the people are denied their only thoroughly efficient weapon, the direct primary, against this usurpation, as was done by the ruling in the California case, then under the system thus established the people cannot rule. The only remedy is to break from the system. It is useless to counsel patience until the next convention, because the organization is already complete to nullify the action of the people as effectively then as it was done this time.

"The same arbitrary powers have been conferred on the National Committee that were exercised this time, and that committee, which is to act in 1916, is already elected. It is composed of men the majority of whom, under the lead of one of their number, Mr. Barnes, have already shown by their votes in the convention that they are prepared to repeat in 1916 the usurpation of 1912. Every State in the Union might pass Presidential primary laws, and all these States might vote for the same candidate, but if that candidate were not satisfactory to the National Committee now in office, it could, and would, reverse the action of the people. On a square issue of power between the Republican National Committee and the Republican voters the committee has won, and has demonstrated that it can win again. The organization has frankly abandoned the pretense of making effective the will of the people.

"If the American people are really fit for self-government, they will instantly take up the challenge which a knot of political conspirators have so insolently thrown down. Non-resistance to such treason against popular government would be almost as reprehensible as active participation therein. Both a great moral issue and a fundamental principle of self-government are involved in the action of the so-called Republican convention at Chicago; and we cannot submit to that action without being false both to the basic principles of American democracy and to that spirit of righteousness and honesty which must underlie every form of successful government."

EXPLOSION KILLS EIGHT.

Open Lamp in West Virginia Mines Ignites Gas.

Moundsville, W. Va., July 11.—A gas explosion at 9 o'clock tonight in the Panama Mine of the Ben Franklin Coal Company, of West Virginia, said to have been caused by an open lamp, carried by one of the victims, killed eight men and injured three, probably fatally.

The mine had not been operated since Monday, and was to have been inspected tomorrow. The men who entered the mine today were putting the workings in condition for resumption. After proceeding a mile under ground, one of the men was sent into a side chamber for tools. A few moments later there was a terrific explosion. All the victims were badly mutilated and the injured horribly burned. An official investigation will begin tomorrow.

Knoxvile, Tenn., July 10.—"It is absurd to think that the Constitution of the United States ever will be so amended as to provide for the initiative," declared Noble Smithson, at the annual meeting of the Tennessee Bar Association, here, today. "The initiative is an imaginary process," said he, "of abolishing the Constitution of the United States or some part of it; or of amending by a direct vote by the majority of such voters as choose to vote on the question when submitted to them. So, it is the imaginary process of enacting, amending or repealing the statutes of a State by a like vote."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Wanted—Chorus Girls.
Lost—Gold Watch Intaglio.
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GOV. WILSON WILL BE REAL MANAGER

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for navigation. As vice president of the organization he expressed the hope that the Governor could attend its annual convention to be held at Burlington, Iowa, in September.

John Guffey, of Pittsburg, a nephew of Colonel James M. Guffey, former National committeeman from Pennsylvania, came with John T. McGraw, the National committeeman from West Virginia. Mr. McGraw assured the nominee that the Democrats in West Virginia had settled their factional differences and would unite in his support. Senators Chilton and Watson, of West Virginia, Mr. McGraw's former opponents, are expected here tomorrow.

Daniels to Seagirt

Raleigh, N. C., July 11.—Josephus Daniels, National committeeman for North Carolina left tonight for Seagirt, N. J., where he will hold a conference tomorrow with Governor Wilson.

PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

Existing Administration Overthrown and V. G. Hinshaw Elected.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 11.—After a day of almost constant wrangling, the National Prohibition Convention tonight overthrew the existing administration and elected Virgil G. Hinshaw, of Portland, Ore., as National chairman of the party.

The convention voted down a proposed plank in the platform demanding that the separation of Church and State be perpetual and that no public money should be appropriated to sectarian churches and schools. Adjournment was taken until tomorrow when candidates for President and Vice President will be nominated.

Mr. Hinshaw was a compromise as between Charles R. Jones, of Illinois, the present chairman, and W. G. Calderwood, of Minnesota, the leading insurgent candidate for the office. Mr. Hinshaw's election came on the fifth ballot tonight, after both Jones and Calderwood had withdrawn. The delegates were in a turmoil most of the time and occasionally there came cries of "gag rule' and "Tammany tactics."

The platform as originally presented by the resolutions committee was changed in several particulars. Some of the delegates contended there "was not enough prohibition" in the document, so several strong phrases were added on that subject.

Mr. Hinshaw, the new chairman of the party, is an attorney in Portland and is president of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association.

When adjournment was taken tonight Eugene W. Chafin, of Arizona, the Presidential candidate four years ago, was being most generally discussed as the probable candidate this year.

At the afternoon session a suggestion that Congressman Richmond Pearson Hobson, Democrat of Alabama, would be a good prohibition candidate for President, was read to the convention in a telegram from E. L. Eaton, wiring from Washburn, Ill.

"Greetings," read the message, "Nail the prohibition flag to the top of the mast. Fear not the snort of the elephant, the bray of the donkey or the roar of the bull moose. Chafin, Watkins, Hobson, Patton or any other good man will suit us.'

Representative Hobson's name was cheered. The platform as finally adopted is as follows:

"The Prohibition party of the United States of America in convention at Atlantic City, July 11, 1912, recognizing God as the source of all governmental authority, makes the following declaration of principles:

"The alcoholic drink traffic is wrong, the most serious drain upon the Nation's wealth and resources, detrimental to the general welfare, destruction of the inalienable rights of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, and therefore, all laws taxing or licensing a traffic that produces crime, poverty and political corruption and spreads disease and death should be repealed. To destroy such a traffic there must be elected to power a political party which will administer the government from the standpoint that the alcoholic drink traffic is a crime and not a business, and we pledge that the manufacture, importation, exportation, transportation and sale of alhoholic beverages shall be prohibited.

"We favor the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people.

"Presidential terms of six years and one term only.

"Uniform marriage and divorce laws.

"The extermination of polygamy and the complete suppression of the traffic in girls.

"Suffrage for women upon the same terms as to men.

"Court review as to postoffice and other departmental decisions and orders; the establishment of postal savings banks, the extension of the rural delivery and the establishing of an efficient parcels post.

"The absolute protection of the rights of labor without impairment of the rights of capital.

"The protection of one day in seven as a day of rest.

"The settlement of all international disputes by arbitration.

"The initiative and referendum and recall.

"The tariff is a commercial question and should be fixed on the basis of accurate knowledge secured by a permanent omni-partisan tariff commission with ample powers.

"The abolition of child labor in the mines, workshops and factories with the rigid enforcement of laws now flagrantly violated.

"Equitable graduated income and inheritance taxes.

"Conservation of our mineral and forest reserves, reclamation of arid and waste lands and we urge that all mineral and timber lands and water powers now owned by the government be held perpetually and leased for revenue purposes.

"Clearly defined laws for the regulation and control of corporations transacting an inter-State business.

"Greater efficiency and economy in government service.

"To the fundamental principles the National Prohibition party renews its long allegiance and on these issues incites the co-operation of all citizens to the end that true objects of popular government may be attained: i.e., equal and exact justice to all."

WILL HARASS FEDERALS.

Orozco Claims He Will Not Bother Americans.

Juarez, Mex., July 11.—In the custom house where President Taft once met President Diaz,, and where a year ago Francisco I. Madero, Jr., established his triumphal rebel government, today sat Gen. Pascual Orozco, Jr., weaving the torn threads of his unsuccessful military campaign against the Federal government.

The rebel chief, while admitting his defeat in an organized movement made it plain that the guerilla warfare being planned was calcuated severely to harass the Mexican government, but contemplated neither friction nor alliance with any foreign government.

Toward the United States, he said he entertained no ill will. From nations said to be friendly to his cause he added he wished no assistance.

"This is a revolution by Mexicans for Mexicans," he explained, with emphasis, today. "It is true we have received offers of assistance from abroad but we have patriotically rejected them."

When Gen. Orozco was informed of a recent report from Washington that rebel artillery by his direction was to bombard the plant of an El Paso Electric Light Company in order it was alleged to bring on complications with the United States with which to embarrass Madero, the characteristic austerity of the rebel chief gave way to a broad smile.

"The report, of course, is ridiculous, he remarked. "It is another one of those stories circulated by the Mexican government to arouse everybody against us and our cause. We do not want foreign complications. Our fight is in Mexico alone.'

Inconspicuous, Gen. Orozco had come to Juarez, the new rebel capital, from Encincillas, 184 miles south, where the outposts of the rebel army on the Mexican Central railroad now are stationed.

TO PROBE TAFT'S NOMINATION

Cummins Declares Evidence of Fraud Would Justify Bolt

Des Moines, Iowa, July 10.—Senator Cummins today attacked Mr. Taft's title to the Republican nomination for President.

He submitted to the resolutions committee of the Iowa Republican State Committee a proposition that a commission be named to investigate closely the manner in which Mr. Taft secured the nomination by the Chicago convention.

The resolution says that if Taft was fraudulently nominated Republicans would be excusable in bolting the Chicago ticket, but if not "Iowa Republicans should support the ticket enthusiastically."

The plan is to subject to rigid inquiry the methods resorted to to prevent the nomination of Colonel Roosevelt and to force Mr. Taft upon the party by a minority of the lawfully elected delegates.

While the Iowa representatives strictly have no jurisdiction over the National Committee, they are called upon to support the candidate ostensibly named by that committee.

Therefore, Mr. Cummins maintains, the Iowa Republicans have the right to determine whether or not Mr. Taft is legally and rightly the nominee of the Republican National Convention, and in case they ascertain that Mr. Taft has no legal right to the title, the Republicans of Iowa will be bound to repudiate the work done at Chicago and to set Mr. Taft aside as a usurper who is in no way entitled to party support,

IN UNITED STATES COURT.

Admiralty Action Engaging the Attention of Judge Connor.

United States Court was opened here yesterday morning with Judge H. G. Connor presiding, for the purpose of hearing a few matters in equity and admiralty. The day was consumed in the hearing of the case entitled Enrico Villa, Master of the Italian steamship Italia, et als., vs. Schooner Brina P. Pendleton. It is an action for $37,000 alleged to be due the libellants for saving the vessel and cargo of phosphates of the Pendleton, which was bound for Wilmington, January 15th, of this year, off the North Carolina coast. Yesterday was taken up largely with the reading of depositions. The libellants are represented by Rountree & Carr, of Wilmington, and Convers & Kerlin, of New York, while John D. Bellamy & Son represent the claimants. Judge Connor will probably remain here over Saturday and a number of other matters are to come before him.

IDENTIFIED FLASHER

Cuban Who Duped Statesville People Located in Indiana

Statesville, N. C., July 9.—Francisco Alvarez, a Cuban check flasher, who has been wanted here since about the first of April, has been located in the reformatory at Jeffersonville, Ind., having been sentenced there to serve a term of two to four years for pulling off a similar stunt in Indiana. His photograph was sent her for identification, but this could not be done positively. However, C. V. Henkel, of Statesville, who was at West Bladen on a pleasure trip, went to Jeffersonville and identified Alvarez.

New York, July 11.—Thomas Fortune Ryan, who was made conspicuous as a delegate at Baltimore by the attacks which W. J. Bryan made upon him, sailed for Europe this afternoon on the steamship Amerika. He declined to comment on the convention or subsequent political developments, but said that he expected to be home in time to cast his vote.

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EDUCATORS FINISH BUSINESS

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supboard with so-called household remedies, consisting mostly of synthetic preparations of quack medicines. Each of these is advertised to be good for almost every disease which may befall the child. No matter what ails him, the all-potent bottle or pill box contains the sovereign remedy.

"Very often these are dangerous drugs, habit-forming drugs, depressing drugs. The age of opium and its compounds, acetanilid, phenacetin, antipyrine and chloroform has not passed by in the realm of infant preparations. The country is still flooded with these deadly preparations, none of which should ever be given to children except in rare cases, and then only under the personal supervision of a competent physician.

"In addition to these drugs, many children are allowed to drink tea and coffee, and thus take into their systems an alkaloid, caffein, which has the tendency to take away the sense of fatigue, stimulate the heart's action, and, in general, to urge the child forward to greater physical and mental activity than he should be called upon to endure. In the normal child the brain and the body give timely notice of fatigue; in the abnormal child, fed partly on tea and coffee, these danger signals are struck down and the child has no sense either of physical or mental fatigue. Thus he keeps on working when, if nature had her way, he should be resting. Physicians and teachers should combine to urge upon parents the desirability of not allowing school children to use tea or coffee.

"In addition to these drugs containing caffein, there are about a hundred so-called soft drinks on the markets of the country, sold under different names, and to which caffein has been added so as to make the beverage, when consumed, have about the same quantity of caffein that tea and coffee contain. Cocoa-Cola is a type of these beverages and is sold right around school houses in all the cities of this country. To what extent the children patronize these caffeinated drinks cannot be determined accurately, but that they do patronize them is well understood. Teachers and parents should join in their efforts to prevent children of school age and attending school, from indulging in these very threatening beverages. They are of a character, as the phrase runs, to get on your nerves, and should be rigidly excluded.

"It is hardly necessary to call attention to the danger of the tobacco habit. Girls, as a rule, in school do not acquire it, but many boys earn acquire the habit of smoking cigarettes, which is a habit that cannot fail to do immense injury. The school room is the place where these anti-drug habits should be taught. Let us bring up the next generation without ruining its health by drgging."

Toledo, Ohio, July 11.—Three men were shot, two seriously and one severely hurt, by a thrown brick, tonight in a riot between non-union teamsters, strikers and sympathizers of the latter, in front of one of the stables of a trucking firm, whose men are on a strike. The police have made more than 15 arrests. The injured men have been taken to hospitals.

Montreal, July 11.—Ninety-five funerals were held here today and the majority of those buried were victims of the recent hot spell. Eighty of the dead were children. The demand for hearses was so pressing that many of the bodies had to be taken to the grave yards in cabs. A horse attached to a hearse fell dead in one of the funeral processions.

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